

**MUST CLEAN UP
BEFORE SUMMER****Health Department Issues Its
Annual Orders****Dr. Graves Says He Will See That
Instructions Are Obeyed in
the Future.****INSPECTORS ARE GETTING BUSY****WEATHER FORECAST.****CLOUDY.**

"Notice to clean up will be given but once from now on. The time allowed to do will be specified, and if we can't get relief from the warrants we have issued from one court, we will take them promptly to another." This was the statement of Health Officer Dr. W. T. Graves this morning in discussing the sanitary precautions for the city with the approach of summer and the hot weather. The orders to be issued by the board of health this summer will require cutting down weeds, draining stagnant water and keeping all premises and business houses strictly clean.

Finding antagonism to having houses where consumption is present, placarded, Health Officer Graves has decided not to push the matter, as he has never been successful in placarding houses. People will not stand for having the signs on their houses in the lingering months of consumption. But none of the other precautionary measures will be abated, and the fumigation after death will be strictly enforced.

TWO WARRANTS ISSUED.

Early spring brings active work from the sanitary inspectors and two warrants have been issued since yesterday. Harth Bros., conducting a grain warehouse at Norton and Eighth streets, are summoned to appear April 1. They are alleged to have permitted a stagnant pool of water to accumulate in the rear of their property. An unsanitary condition in the rear of Roy Ballowe's drug store at Tenth street and Broadway caused a warrant to be issued against the proprietor. His hearing will be on Monday.

FLOWERS ON MARKET.

Present Beautiful Scene Early This Morning.

This morning's market resembled a florist's exhibit more than a market garden. Lilies were in profusion and almost every stall contained a bunch of the flowers. Pansies, jonquils, bleeding hearts and numerous other of the early blooming plants, were in evidence. Marketers say there were more flowers this morning than they ever remember of seeing before. It was a pretty sight to see the benches filled with flowers and early vegetables, and the eager buyers were taking full advantage of the opportunity. Easter always gives an impetus to the flower trade, but this year has surpassed the preceding.

The warm days of the past week have opened the buds wonderfully. Yesterday's rain refreshed plants greatly, but in the country it was not needed badly. Farmers have started plowing, but many are dubious about planting tender vegetables without protection, as they predict a frost next month. The first home raised spring chickens could be had this morning, and were sold readily at 45 cents a piece.

**DERBY HAT IS FOUND
ON BOSOM OF THE RIVER.**

The finding of a Derby hat in the Tennessee river a few hundred yards down stream from where the crew of the gasoline boat "Brownie" saw an oarsman pull a corpse out into the river in his skiff, furnishes additional evidence of the theory of murder. James Hale found the hat this morning. It was turned over to Captain Ed Farley, who reported the matter to the police department.

MISS ALVIS WYATT.

Sixteen-Year-Old Girl Succumbs to White Plague.

Miss Alvis Wyatt, 16 years old, died of tuberculosis yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at 643 Elizabeth street. She was the daughter of Druggist W. D. Wyatt, Jackson and Eleventh streets. The body was taken to Hardin, Marshall county, for burial.

RAFT OF LOGS ATTACHED.

Magistrate Emery attached a raft of 280 logs this morning in the case of Jack Nelson against Fletcher and Foreman, for a debt of \$28. The defendants will give bond and settle without a sale of the property.

**BECKHAM VICTORY
WAS NOMINATION****Attorney Eugene Graves For
Representative**

Preliminary Struggle Over Chairman-ship Showed Strength of Candidate.

HON. W. A. BERRY PRESIDES.

Governor Beckham's forces won a local victory today in the nomination of Eugene Graves, the well known attorney of this city, for representative. The Democrats of the county met in mass convention at the court house at 2 o'clock, and after a preliminary wrangle chose W. A. Berry as chairman. He was opposed by William Wickliffe. R. B. Wilcox was responsible for Mr. Berry's nomination and Young Taylor for the name of Mr. Wickliffe. After that it required little time for the consummation of the rest of the business. Bernard Kavanaugh, a newspaperman, was chosen secretary, and Hon. Hal Corbett nominated Mr. Eugene Graves. The name of James P. McKinney was presented and on division of the house, Chairman Berry declared Mr. Graves the nominee.

GOVERNMENT SUPERVISION.

Is Favored By President Harahan of Illinois Central.

New York, March 30.—The Sun says President J. J. Harahan, of the Illinois Central railroad, is quoted as saying today that he is in favor of the federal supervision of railroads and the giving of wide publicity to railroad affairs. "Railroads," said President Harahan, "which are opposed to further publicity should be compelled to favor it, for it is necessary to bring the railroads and the public into closer relations." Mr. Harahan advocates a board of expert government examiners, who would investigate the accounts of railroads in exactly the same manner that the national bank examiners probe into the affairs of national banks. He believes, too, that the interstate commerce commission should establish a branch in the west.

JAMES CARROLL.

Body Laid to Rest in Oak Grove Cemetery Today.

The body of James Carroll, the Paducah ship carpenter, who died yesterday in Memphis at the age of 73 years, arrived from Memphis at noon today and was taken to Oak Grove cemetery from the train. Carroll lived in Paducah until a few years ago when he went to Memphis. He is survived by a daughter, Miss Zella Carroll.

The body was met at the train by the local Caulkers' union, who went out in a special car. The burial followed at Oak Grove cemetery. Miss Zella Carroll, a daughter, and Mr. George Tewell accompanied the body from Memphis.

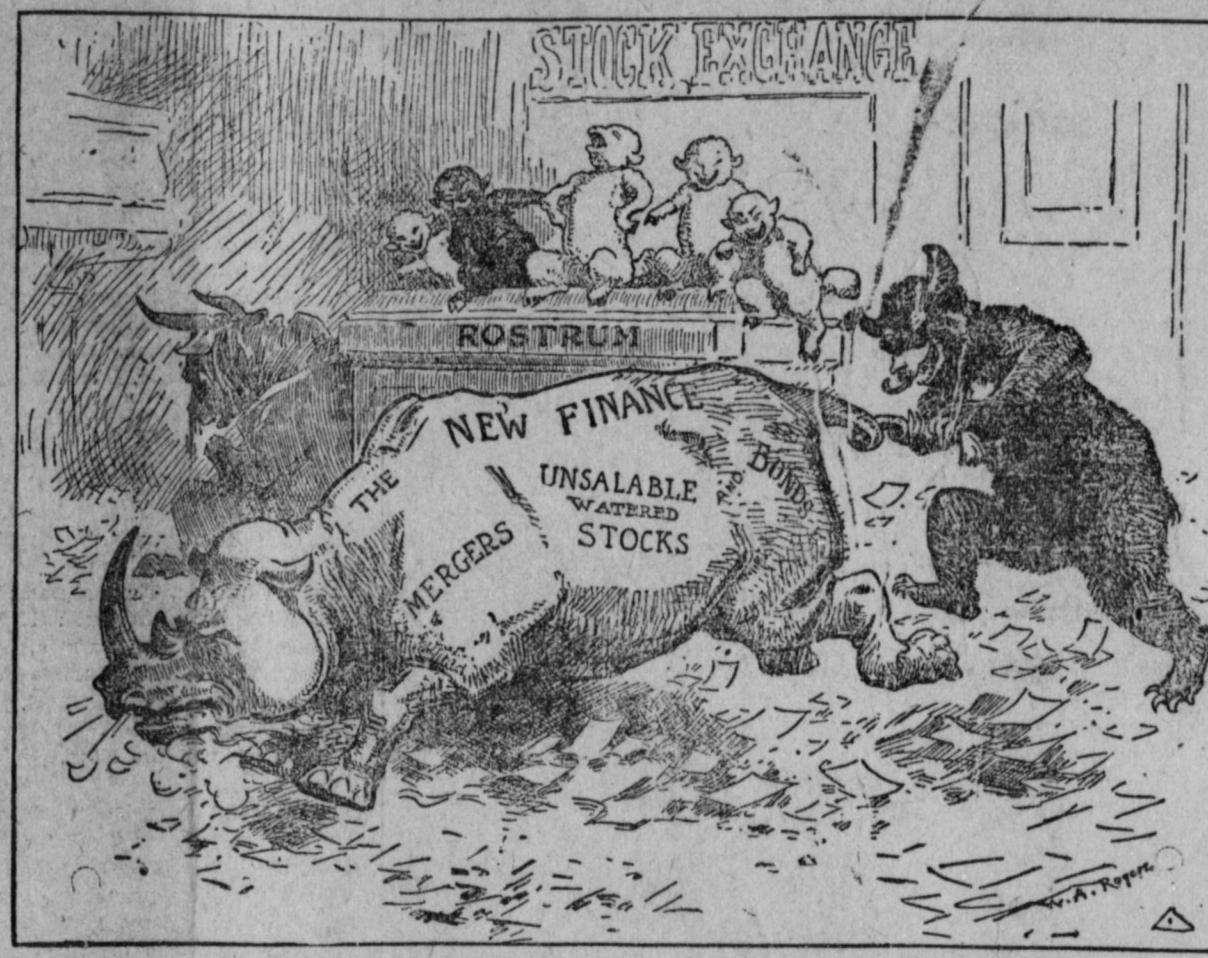
SAVATION ARMY.

Sunday morning, Fifth and Broadway, 10 a. m.; Fourth and Broadway, 11 a. m.; Third and Broadway, 2 o'clock; inside meeting at 3 p. m.; Fourth and Broadway, 7 p. m.; inside meeting 8 p. m. Meetings every night except Monday. Headquarters 120 Broadway.

**W. B. SMITH GOES
ACQUIT IN COURT**

Louisville, Ky., March 30.—(Special)—After a trial lasting two days, W. B. Smith, former president of Western National bank, was dismissed in federal court on peremptory instructions by Judge Evans. He was charged in indictment containing six counts with having made false entries on books of bank resulting in institution's embarrassment.

Elder J. O. Griffin, the evangelist, will preach at First Ward Baptist church (colored) Sunday, March 31, and will continue one week.

THE WEEK IN WALL STREET.

—Rogers in New York Herald.

**CLEARINGS PASS
TEN MILLION MARK****First Quarter of Year Shows
Remarkable Gain**

Spring Retail Trade Rivals Holiday Business and Orders Are in Ahead.

PADUCAH BUSINESS BOOMING

Bank Clearings \$741,904
Same week last year 566,141
Increase 175,763

For the first quarter of 1907, the total bank clearings were \$10,204,302. Every week, except one, showed an increase over the corresponding period of 1906, and the total increase for the quarter ending tonight is \$1,300,050. Assuming that the remainder of the year will at least equal the first quarter in the increase shown, 1907 will show over \$5,000,000 increase over 1906. The increase of 1906 over 1905 was \$4,700,000. But the first quarter of the year may be reckoned probably below the average for the year, and Paducah Banks may make an even greater showing.

In the first quarter, the largest single weekly increase was \$253,677; while the one week that showed a decrease, it was only \$33,212. The largest week's clearings were \$1,040,247, while the smallest figures for one week were \$579,887. This week's increase is significantly large and may be attributed largely to the activity in the local stores from the spring and Easter trade. When the increase from the last quarter in the year, with the heavy fall and holiday business, is shown, the year's increase probably will go above \$6,000,000.

Heavy Retail Trade.

All the surface display that prosperity brings, with nature particularly exuberant in gorgeous tints; and with quality the keynote as in the Christmas trade, finds Easter in Paducah bearing much of the earmarks of the holiday season. And the volume of the Easter trade among the merchants shows up not at all insignificantly compared with the Christmas record.

There is, however, this limitation. The big business is being done by the stores that supply articles for personal adornment. Of course, the usual swell of spring business is felt among all the stores, from the annual renovation in household affairs at this time of the year. But it is in the dry goods stores, and in the men's furnishings stores, with the shoe stores keeping up a good third, that Easter trade and Easter prosperity is felt.

While the buyers for the stores have managed to make a display of fabrics and dress incidentals, which have fully satisfied the feminine heart, the general public knows nothing of the worry and hard efforts it has required to accomplish it. "We are buying just twelve months ahead on certain lines, in order to get anything at all," was one buyer's plaintive comment on the situation in the wholesale trade. "In long gloves and all domestic goods, it is almost impossible to get anything, and the people have willingly paid the higher prices, only because the people have plenty of money."

Said another merchant who usually keeps his finger on the pulse of wholesale conditions: "I ordered one case of table damask three months ago. I haven't heard anything of them and don't expect to inside of another six or eight months. All the mills are running with orders for twelve months ahead."

The pre-Easter buying has this peculiarity. Mostly uncut goods are being bought. Trade in the ready-made lines almost has ceased, as every woman wants a specially made gown for the Easter season. As a consequence, every dressmaker in the city is head over eels in work, and the millinery stores—well, the "Pit" in the Chicago grain exchange would look orderly compared with them tonight.

Presented Today.

Grace Gardner, colored, of Marshall county, who was arrested last evening by Wade Brown, deputy United States marshal, will be presented this afternoon before Commissioner W. A. Gardner for alleged bootlegging.

**EXPECT DEFICIT
FOR RIVERSIDE**

Carpenters and Painters Are
Awaiting an Answer From
Contractors to Demands for
Increases

NEED SOME IMPROVEMENTS.

Will Require at Least \$7,500
to Conduct Institution, Mak-
ing it Cost City Less Than
Three Thousand

**FEAST OF REASON
AND FLOW OF SOUL**

T. P. A. Will Enjoy Banquet
at Palmer Tonight And Ex-
cellent Program of Speeches
Will be Delivered

SPECIAL COMES FROM ST. LOUIS.

When the 125 members of the Travelers' Protective association sit down to their banquet tonight, the Palmer House dining room will be the scene of another brilliant event. A special car with 42 St. Louis enthusiasts will arrive this afternoon at 5 o'clock and delegations from Nashville, Memphis and Louisville will be present to participate in the banquet.

An after-dinner speaking program composed of local speakers and the visitors will be given as follows:

T. B. Harrison, "T. P. A. As Power in This Country;" Earl Palmer, "Use of the Drummer From a Practical Business Man;" J. T. Donovan, "How the Best Service Can Be Given From Transportation Companies;" J. Benedict, "Why the T. P. A. Should Become a 'Benedict.'"

TOBACCO REPORT

Compiled by Local Inspector E. R. Miller for Month.

Following is the local tobacco market report in hogheads for the month of March as compiled by E. R. Miller Inspector:

	1907	1906
Receipts—Month	1,059	351
Year	1,979	1,010
Sales—Month	614	182
Year	1,043	584
Shipments—Month	388	260
Year	812	691
Stock—on sale	1,930	636
Sold	288	209
On hand	1,318	836

REHKOPF EXEMPTIONS.

Personality Appraised By Trustee
Yesterday.

Trustee A. E. Boyd appraised the personal effects of E. Rehkopf, bankrupt, yesterday afternoon and found they amounted to \$660. This is claimed by his wife and by Mrs. Earl Walters. \$304.50 is allowed to Mr. Rehkopf. The exemptions allowed Mr. Rehkopf are \$1,000 from the homestead; \$80, for a year's provisions; \$70 for provender for his stock; two mules and one wagon.

**GRAND CHIEF ENGINEER
WILL VISIT THIS CITY**

Mr. Lee Eaker has received word that N. W. Cadle, of Cleveland, O., grand chief engineer, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, will visit the local division Monday night.



Easter Services

Will Be the Special Feature
in Paducah Churches.

Christian.

FIRST—Sunday school and communion at usual hours.

TENTH STREET—Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock, Communion at 10:45 o'clock. Easter souvenirs distributed at Sunday school.

Baptist.

FIRST—The Rev. Calvin Thompson, pastor. Morning subject: "Some Easter Facts Seldom Mentioned in the Pulpit." Evening subject: "The Unexpected Invitation."

SECOND—The Rev. L. G. Graham, pastor. Usual morning and evening services.

EAST—The Rev. E. H. Cunningham will immerse several converts in the river at Mechanicsburg at 3 o'clock p.m.

NORTH TWELFTH—The Rev. J. R. Clark, pastor. Usual services Sunday school at 3 o'clock.

Episcopal.

GRACE—The Rev. D. C. Wright, rector. Easter services, Holy communion, in commemoration of the feast of the Women to the Tomb, at 6:30 a.m. The rector desires as

many communions as possible made at this service. Sunday school as usual, 9:30 o'clock. Morning service, sermon and Holy communion, 10:45 o'clock. Children's Easter celebration 4:30.

Program of music for the morning service:

Organ prelude—Triumphal march—Spark.

Processional—Welcome Happy Morning—Calkin.

Introit—Awake Up My Glory—Miss Langstaff, soloist.

Kyrie, Gloria, Tibi and Sanctus—Gounod.

Hymn—Jesus Christ is Risen Today—Worgan.

Hymn—The Strife is O'er—Palestrina.

Offertory Anthem—Christ Our Passover—Chapel—Miss Calissi, soloist.

Agnus Dei—From Messe Sommelle—Gounod.

Recessional—At the Lambs High Feast—Elvey.

Catholic.

ST. FRANCIS DE SALES—Masses at 8 o'clock and 10:30 o'clock a.m.

FASHION'S NEWEST SPRING DRESS FABRICS.

STANDARD PATTERNS.

Our sales of the Standard Fashion company's stylish patterns at 10c and 15c grows bigger and bigger each succeeding month—with their aid you can design and make elegant costumes without unnecessary expense and at little cost.

A Great Sale of
Women's Charming New Spring Panama Suits
Only **\$10** A Suit
Next Week.

Some are Pony Suits like this cut, others are stylish Jumper Suits and many are jaunty Eton Jacket Suits, all priced special for this sale at, a suit **\$10**

Fashion's newest in Rich Voile Suits **\$17.50, \$19.50, \$25.00**
\$30 and \$35 a suit.

Beautiful Spring Princess Costumes of Silk at **\$15 and \$20.**

Captivating Millinery---Authoritative Styles Prices That Make It to Everybody's Interest to Buy Here

THE biggest Easter selling in our business history. Big purchases have been made to replace the broken assortments. Everything that is new, beautiful and correct is coming---new things come to this store's great millinery department every week throughout the entire millinery season. Many particularly stunning models will arrive for next week's selling. An incomparable array of trimmed hats will be on display. They are clever and artistic reproductions of the best French and Domestic models---all priced at prices not possible in Broadway stores with Broadway expenses and Broadway methods.

A GREAT ASSEMBLING OF WOMEN'S SKIRTS.

A wide scope of materials, the newest, choicest and most approved styles. From the most popular priced skirts to the most elegant imported voiles, a saving on every skirt. Come and see our this week's pricing on spring's strictly up-to-date styles.

WAIST FINERY — FASHIONS

NEWEST.

Don't overlook these splendid waist values. They are fashion's most alluring, fresh, bright, stylish beauties. Silks, Lawns and Linens, priced only as this store prices pretty waists.

FASHION'S NEWEST SPRING DRESS FABRICS.

A beautiful, big Dress Goods stock at the famously low prices of this store. Uncommonly good Dress Goods values will be on sale here next week. We invite you to inspect these extra special values for your spring wants.

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Our sales of the Standard Fashion company's stylish patterns at 10c and 15c grows bigger and bigger each succeeding month—with their aid you can design and make elegant costumes without unnecessary expense and at little cost.

NEW GLOVES.

Of course you'll need them for spring wear. We have just received a big assortment of Long Silk Gloves at 65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pair.

Kid Gloves in 16 and 18 button lengths at \$2.50 and \$2.95 a pair.

NEW COSTUMES CALL FOR NEW CORSETS.

We will sell the great American Lady, perfect in fit, perfect in form. Gives fashionable lines to ill-shaped forms. It costs but little to build a graceful figure with the Great American Lady Corset, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 a pair.

THIS IS A BIG SHOE STORE.

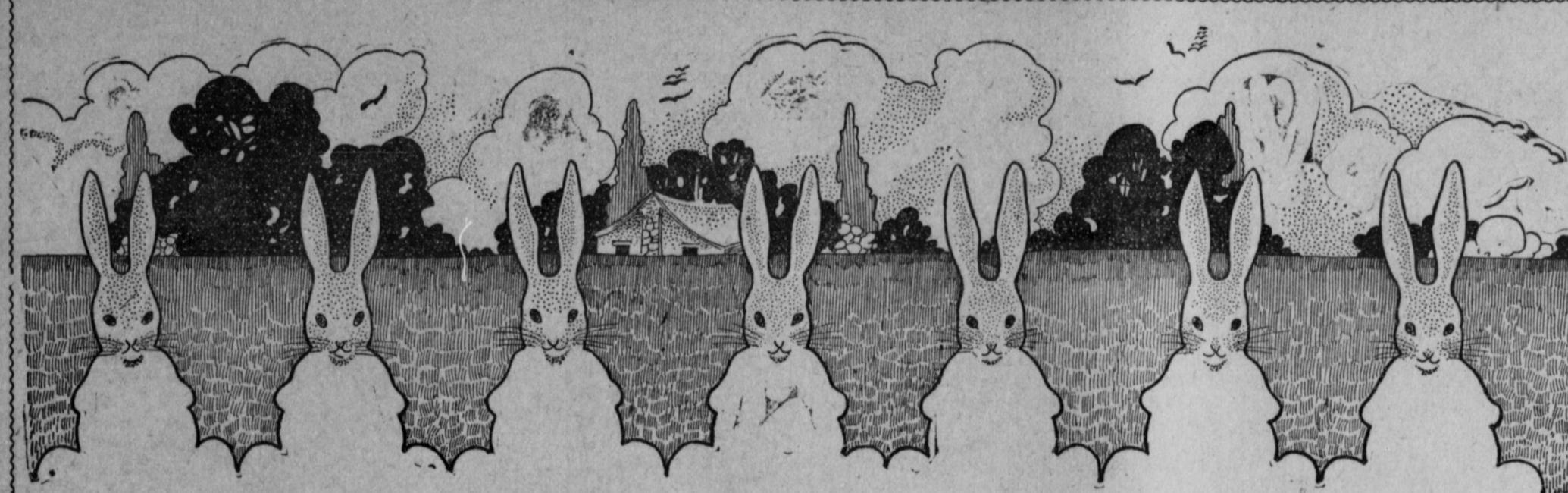
Shoes That Fill Most Every Style Requirement.

A mammoth stock of the most correct styles from the best manufacturing concerns in America. Not only the biggest assortment to be found anywhere, but marked at the lowest prices.

THIS IS A BIG AND WELL STOCKED CLOTHING STORE.

You cannot fail to find just what you want, and for less than you'd expect to pay for equal qualities and styles.





The Week in Paducah Society Circles

AN EASTER SONG.

A song of sunshine through the rain,
Of spring across the snow;
A balm to heal the hurts of pain,
A peace surpassing woe.
Lift up your heads, ye sorrowing ones,

And be ye glad of heart,
For Calvary and Easter Day,
Earth's saddest day and gladdest day,
Were just one day apart.

With shudder of despair and loss
The world's deep heart was wrung,
As lifted high upon His cross,
The Lord of Glory hung—

When rocks were rent, and ghostly forms
Stole forth in street and mart;

But Calvary and Easter Day,
Earth's blackest day and whitest day,
Were just one day apart.

—Susan Coolidge.

Louisville Wedding of Interest in Paducah.

Announcement will be made on Easter in Louisville of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Elizabeth Burnett to Mr. Robert Horner. The wedding will be solemnized on June 11.

Miss Burnett is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burnett, who formerly lived in Paducah. She is a beautiful girl of more than usual magnetism and charm, and has been one of the most popular girls in Louisville society since her debut three years ago. She is a granddaughter of the late Henry Burnett, member of congress from Kentucky, and on her mother's side belongs to the Dallam and Soaper families of Henderson, notable in Kentucky's history. She is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Muscoe Burnett, of Paducah, and has many friends in her girlhood home.

Mr. Horner is prominent socially and as a business man in Louisville, where he is at the head of a large cement company. He is an eastern man and belongs to a leading Philadelphia family.

Announcements.

The Paducah High School Alumni association will celebrate "Arbor Day" on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Washington building on West Broadway. A program will be rendered at the High school auditorium and the trees will be planted in the grounds.

The Cotillion club will have its Easter german on Wednesday evening at the Hotel Craig. A number of visitors will be present for the occasion.

The Matinee Musical club will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the parish house of Grace Episcopal af-

church. It is a miscellaneous program of American composers. The leaders are Miss Lula Reed and Miss Mamie O'Brien. The oratorio, mystery and musical plays will be discussed.

The Delphic club will meet on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Carnegie library. The program for the morning is:

1. Barcelona, "The Key of Spain"
2. Malaga, "The Garden of Spain"
3. Music.

Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Louis M. Rieke, 703 Jefferson street. An attractive program has been arranged.

The Charity club will have an Easter Tea on Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. George Wallace, 320 North Ninth street. There will be a number of attractive features and light refreshments will be served. The club asks a liberal patronage from their friends and the public to further their good work.

The Crescent club will meet on Thursday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock at the studio of Miss Virginia Newell, on North Seventh street. The program will be a Liebling one altogether.

The Woman's club will meet on Thursday afternoon at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church. The business session will be held promptly at 2 o'clock. The open meeting at 3 o'clock is in charge of Civics department of the club, Miss Anna Morton, chairman. The program will include addresses of civic interest as follows:

"Practical Gardening"—Mr. Saunders A. Fowler.

"Pure Food"—Dr. Della Caldwell.

"Paducah Beautiful"—Dr. D. G. Murrell.

"Civic Beauty"—Judge William Marble.

These will be interspersed with vocal selections.

The Kalosphic club will meet on Friday morning at 10 o'clock with Miss Blanche Hills on North Ninth street. The program is:

1. Current Topics—Miss Hughes.
2. James Sheridan Knowles, "The Hunchback"—Miss Langstaff.
3. Richard Brinley Sheridan, "School for Scandal"—Miss Morrow.
4. Club discussion.

Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will have the meeting of April on Friday af-

ternoon. Mrs. C. H. Chamblin will entertain the chapter at the Hotel Craig. The members are asked to come promptly at 2:30 o'clock as there is some business of importance to come before them: The program features are:

1. Song America.
2. Roll Call Patriotic Sentiments.
3. Paper, "Our National Songs"—Miss Emily Morrow.
4. Reading—Mrs. Roy McKinney.
5. Music.

The Carnival of Flowers will be given on Friday evening at the Kentucky theater under the auspices of the Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, for the benefit of the Public Fountain fund.

On the Threshold of the Social Whirl.

The week has been exceptionally quiet socially. It is Holy Week and the church services have been dominant. Even the club meetings have been fewer than usual.

That Society is preparing to don her gauze attire, a glance at the calendar for the coming week will show, while there are few especial entertainments, the days are quite full. Several of the social clubs will not resume until week after next, owing to other things intervening. The Cotillion club's Easter german will be a social event of interest, and the Carnival of Flowers at the Kentucky by local talent. There are other affairs not calendared, some informal and some just rumors as yet.

Attractive Easter Party For Children.

Master James English is entertaining a number of his friends with a pretty Easter party this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock at his home on Fountain avenue. The house is prettily decorated for the occasion and many quaint and attractive Easter customs are in evidence.

An Easter Egg hunt is the feature of pleasure. Each child is given a basket and started out to find the gayly-colored eggs that are hid about the grounds. The prize for the greatest number of eggs found is a beautiful live white rabbit.

In the dining room where the refreshments are served, the table is a prettily appointed Easter and Spring time picture. The centerpiece is an arrangement of lilacs forming a nest with eggs and a family of rabbits in the center. Cut glass border dishes of candy eggs are arbon-bon dishes of candy eggs of gelatine with strawberries and cream and eggkisses are the delightful refreshments.

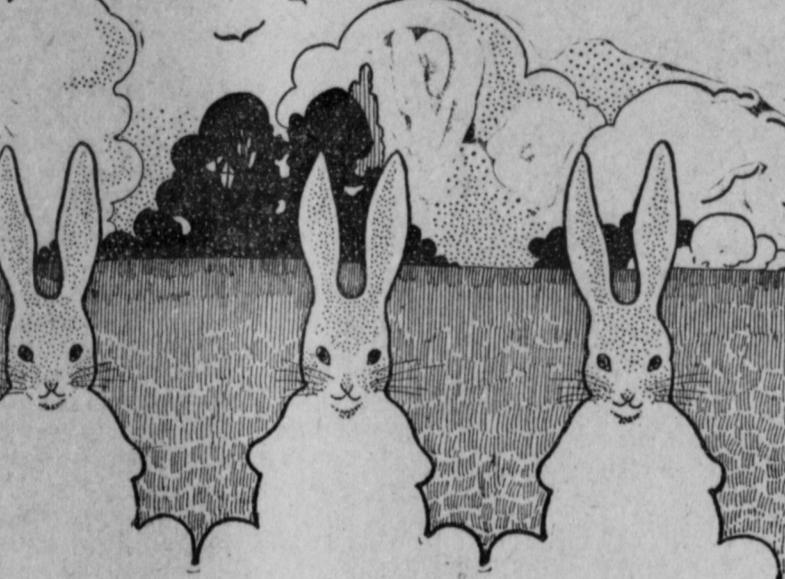
The guests-list includes: Lena Utterback, Irene Flournoy, Dorothy Fowler, Elizabeth Caldwell, Mary Terry Burnett, Jacqueline Rieke, Julia Bradshaw Elsie Eunice Voris, Juliet Thompson, Helen Pulliam, Ruth Hinkle, Jennie Rosina Rasch, Pauline Grassham, Emma Boyd, Louise Campbell, Anna Webb Phillips, Margaret Hinkle, Janie Rivers, Elizabeth Smith, Louella Covington, Jennie Lee Covington, Edith Dysart, Edith Sherrill, Lucy Overby; Palmer Utterback, Eventide Ellis, Sam Caldwell, Jr., David Flournoy, Jr., Muscoe Burnett, Jr., William Hughes, William Burnett, Henry Dallam, Palmer Ferguson, Simeon Meyers, Henry Well, John Fitzpatrick, Joe Pulliam, William Walters, Henry Bradley, Jr., Joseph Phillips, Henry Weissinger, Jr., Sam Langstaff, George Langstaff, Jr., Thompson Rivers, James Smith, Jr., Leonard Campbell, Laz Powell, Pauline Dysart, Col. Harrison Watts.

Easter Egg Hunts.

The Junior Christian Endeavor society of the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church is enjoying an Easter egg hunt this afternoon in the yard of Mrs. E. P. Gilson, Jefferson and Fifth streets.

Those present were: Misses Mabel Troutman, Ruth Mitchell, Little Yopp, Mary Ghoshon, Frances Brooks, Opal Brandon, May Beyers, Nellie Broyles, Laura Augustus, Rita today from Indianola, Florida, where

she has been the guest of her friend, Miss Lucy Bruner, of Webb, City, Mo., for six weeks.



Miss Blanche Hills is expected home Monday from a delightful series of visits in Detroit, Ann Arbor, Lapeer, and other Michigan cities. Miss Hills was the recipient of much social attention during her round of visits.

Miss Robbie Loving, of 521 Monroe street arrived home on Thursday from a delightful visit in Denver, and other Colorado points. Miss Loving has been gone all winter.

Miss Florence Loeb, who is attending the college of music in Indianapolis, has arrived to spend the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Reuben Loeb, of Broadway and Fifth street.

Miss Dorothy Langstaff arrived home this week from Kemper Hall, Kenosha, Wis., where she is at school, to spend Easter. Miss Faith Langstaff, who has been in Chicago for several days, returned with her.

Miss Katherine Quigley, who is attending the Sophie Newman college in New Orleans, returned home on Thursday for the Easter holidays. She will divide her visit with her grandparents, Colonel and Mrs. Q. Q. Quigley, in Arcadia, and her aunt, Mrs. George Langstaff, Jr., on Kentucky avenue.

Mrs. Hubbard W. Blanchard, of Boston, Mass. will visit Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells and Mrs. George B. Hart in April. Mrs. Blanchard is pleasantly remembered here from former visits and some attractive recitals she gave. She will give either a Shakespeare or Tennyson recital under the auspices of the Matinee Musical club while here.

Miss Burford Foley, of New York, will arrive Tuesday evening to be the guest for several days of Miss Ethel Brooks and attend the Easter german. Miss Foley has been visiting Miss Florence Schrader in Indianapolis and will accompany Miss Anita Wood to Wichita, Kan., when she returns home.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanders, Miss Sarah Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Knight and daughter, who have been spending the winter in town, have opened their country home "Grey Gables" for the summer.

Crescendo Club.

The Crescendo club had a "Mother's afternoon" on Thursday at the studio of Miss Newell, that was a very delightful occasion. The mothers of the club members were the honor guests and each was permitted to bring one friend. The program was a very attractive one and was rendered entirely by the younger music pupils of Miss Newell, those from the first to fifth grade. Taere were solo, duet and trio features.

Choral Club.

The Choral club held a pleasant meeting on Thursday evening at the Kentucky avenue Presbyterian church, which has been selected as the regular meeting place. The club is doing some practice work in choruses now; later they will go in the more serious work of oratorios. The membership is constantly growing, and much interest in being evidenced. It is hoped to make the society a permanent one in Paducah. Mr. A. G. Lautemayer is the leader.

Kalosphic Club.

An interesting meeting of the Kalosphic club was held on Friday morning with Miss Kathleen Whitefield at her home on Kentucky avenue. "Current Topics" was presented very attractively by Mrs. Edward H. Bringhurst in opening. "The latter Comedies of Shakespeare" was cleverly discussed by Miss Kathleen Whitefield. "The Historical Plays of Shakespeare and King John" was entertainingly covered by Miss Hallie Hisey. The club discussed "Twelfth Night" by acts.

Delphe Club.

The Delphe club had a very delightful meeting on Tuesday morning at the Carnegie library. Mrs. Annie Hughes Morrow discussed very interestingly "The Spanish Schools of Painting." "Modern Art in Spain" as featured by Goya, Fortuny, Villegas, was attractively reviewed by Miss Morrow.

Box Social.

The ladies of the Cumberland Presbyterian church gave a box party at the residence of Mrs. Hardison, 1728 Clay street on Tuesday evening. It was a pleasant occasion and greatly enjoyed. The luncheon was eaten in picnic style.

Birthday Party of Interest Here.

Misses Christine and Katherine Materfield, the little daughters of Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Waterfield, entertained quite a number of their little friends Monday afternoon with a party in honor of their birthdays. Miss Christine was eight years old and Katherine arrived at her sixth birthday, both of their birthdays coming on the 25th. Cake and cream were served and all the lads and ladies had quite nice time. We hope these little ladies will have many more such happy affairs.—Mayfield Monitor.

Johnson-Lardell.

Miss Ida L. Johnson, of Paducah, and Mr. William P. Lardell, of Chicago, Ill., were married in Chicago yesterday and will spend the summer at Duluth, Minn.

About People.

Miss Dow Husbands and Miss Helen Decker will leave next week for Battle Creek, Mich., for a visit. Miss Marjorie Scott returned home to drift and profit for millions of people!

GOOD SPEECHES

BY TELEPHONE MEN

Interesting Meeting Held By Independents

Manager H. L. Jeffery, of Paducah Home Company, thanked for His Hospitality.

DELEGATE TO ASSOCIATION.

After extending thanks to Manager H. T. Jeffery, of the Paducah Home Telephone company, for his hospitality, the western district Kentucky Independent Telephone association adjourned yesterday afternoon. Vice President F. G. Hoge, of Hopkinsville, was elected delegate to the state convention to be held in Louisville April 16. Many interesting speeches were made by members of the association. Those who spoke are:

H. J. Jeffery, manager Paducah company, "Telephone Equipment and Standardizing Toll Apparatus."

J. F. Nichols, Bardwell, "Financing an Independent Local Exchange."

J. E. Bridgewater, Bardwell, "Independent Telephone Movement."

W. A. Surrell, traffic manager, Louisville, "Long Distance Service and Connections."

D. A. McCurdy, Mayfield, "Graves County's Independent System."

W. L. Travis, and W. B. Butler, Marion, "Reports on Marion."

M. H. Story, Salem, "Rural Lines."

W. P. Turpin, Henderson, "Henderson and Daviess Counties."

F. G. Hoge, Hopkinsville, "Christian and Todd Counties."

NEWS OF KENTUCKY

I. C. IS FINED.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 30.—A fine of \$50, the limit allowed by law, was assessed against the Illinois Central Railroad company this afternoon in trial of indictment charging the railroad company with desecrating Sabbath in keeping section gang engaged on Sunday in repairing the track near this city. A fine of \$40 was agreed upon in another and similar indictment, while a third was dismissed.

ELOPED FROM MELBER.

Fulton, Ky., March 30.—While their parents were soundly sleeping, Grady Thomas and Miss Beatrice Nall, of Melber, silently arose from their downy beds and stole from their homes to the depot where they met and boarded the fast train for Fulton. On arriving here the wedding party went to the New Century hotel to await Esq. Furtell's arrival at his office. About 7:30 they proceeded to the magistrate's office where they were pronounced husband and wife.

POPULATION CANNOT FILL THEATER.

Maysville, Ky., March 30.—Sardis, a small town of about 150 inhabitants, in the southwestern part of this county, eighteen miles from this city, is one of the most progressive towns of its size in this section. Recently several of its well-to-do citizens organized a bank, which has grown in favor. The last improvement is an opera house, which will be dedicated Saturday night in true country fashion. It is 75x45 feet, has a seating capacity of 500, a modern stage, auditorium chairs, curtains, etc., and is the new illuminant.—S. E. Foreman in St. Nicholas.

THEY LACE IN FRONT.

The First Gas.

Soon after Argand invented his lamp, William Murdoch, a Scottish inventor, showed the world a new way of lighting a house. It has long been known that fat or coal, when heated, gives off a vapor or gas which burns with a bright light. Indeed, it is always a gas that burns, and not a hard substance. In the candle or in the lamp the flame heats the oil which comes up to it through the wick and thus causes the oil to give off gas. Now Murdoch, in 1797, put this principle to a good use. He heated coal in a large vessel and allowed the gas which was driven off to pass through mains and tubes to different parts of his house. Whenever he wanted a light he let the gas escape at the end of the tube in a small jet and lighted it. Here was a lamp without a wick. Murdoch soon extended his gas pipes to his factories, and lighted them with gas. As soon as it was learned how to make gas cheaply, and conduct it safely from house to house, whole cities were rescued from darkness by the new illuminant.—S. E. Foreman in St. Nicholas.

THEY LACE IN FRONT.

No Recreation Allowed.

Policeman (to tramp) — I have been watching you loitering by this stream for the past two hours. Either you intend to fish or to drown yourself, and both are strictly forbidden. — Legende Blaetter.

THEY LACE IN FRONT.

Memory.

Somebody of a psychological turn of mind once asked Lord Rosebery, "What is Memory?" "Memory," Rosebery replied promptly but somewhat pensively, "memory is the feeling that steals over us when we listen to our friends' original stories."

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February, 1907.

1.	4036	15.....	2829
2.	3813	16.....	2874
4.	3830	18.....	3813
5.	3851	19.....	3865
6.	3851	20.....	3820
7.	3871	21.....	3869
8.	3885	22.....	3915
9.	3813	23.....	3839
11.	3823	25.....	3866
12.	3855	26.....	3826
13.	3844	27.....	3822
14.	3870	28.....	3890
Average for February, 1907....			3859
Average for February, 1906....			3757
Increase.....			102

Personally appeared before me, this March 1, 1907, E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Feb. 1907, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYRAR.

Notary Public.
My commission expires January 22, 1908.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.

The Sun is authorized to announce Charles Reed as a candidate for mayor, subject to any action of the Democratic party.

The Sun is authorized to announce Thomas B. Harrison as a candidate for mayor subject to the action of the Democratic primary May 2, 1907.

For City Assessor.

The Sun is authorized to announce J. W. Orr as a candidate for the office of City Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For City Treasurer.

The Sun is authorized to announce J. W. McKnight as a candidate for the office of City Treasurer subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For City Attorney.

The Sun is authorized to announce the candidacy of John G. Miller, Jr., as a candidate for city attorney subject to the action of the Democratic primary, May 2, 1907.

Daily Thought.

"Step softly among human hearts and leave so much kindness along life's pathway, that gladness shall spring up bearing tribute in the cool eventide of the world's glad Easter.—Croft.

OUR HOSPITAL.

Municipal economy may be pressed too hard, especially in the case of a hospital, and the effort to make a hospital, and the self-supporting, must be made at the expense of the charity patients, if anybody. The last general council was liberal with the institution, and met all the demands of the board of trustees, and then the overdraft was not startling. The figures principally were made to look large by including a deficit of long standing for the purchase of the ground, with which the present management has had nothing to do.

The city allows the hospital \$5,000, and estimates that the hospital will bring \$5,000 revenue into the city. Thus the expense and revenue of the institution balance. The revenue comes from pay patients. The expense is incurred in caring for the charity patients. No retrenchments dare be made in the pay wards, because the result would be the loss of patients, and the curtailment of revenue. If the board retrenches at all it must retrench in the charity ward. From the report submitted by Dr. Frank Boyd and President Lindsey, of the board of councilment, it would seem that the expense is down to a minimum now. The city is endeavoring to give the charity patients the best medical and surgical attention and nursing possible. A human life, no matter how humble, is above consideration in dollars and cents. Of course, economy dictates that the surgeons in charge go to no unnecessary expense in experimenting or equipping the institution with elaborate apparatus merely to save themselves some personal expense or

inconvenience, or to be wasteful in the use of the appropriation. They are accountable to the city for every dollar spent and should make every dollar go as far as possible. When they have done this, the city should not begrudge the institution a penny. How the institution is conducted is apparent from the fact that every pay ward is filled and many applicants are turned away. If the institution was large enough to accommodate all who seek admission, it would be self-sustaining, and furnish all the revenue needed. There are improvements now needed, and not the least is to the grounds. It is a disgrace that Riverside hospital has stood there so long on bare unsoiled ground, conspicuous from the river as a plain brick building rising out of a bed of ugly clay, behind a trestle over some backwater. From the street the same unpleasant prospect greets the eye. Paducah is setting a bad example for her citizens in the uncared condition of her hospital grounds.

Says the Kentucky State Journal:

Verily he gets his reward. After reading ex-Senator Joe Blackburn's savage attack on the alleged Kentucky machine and his prophecy of dire results to the Democratic ticket, President Roosevelt feeling that such subserviency was worthy of reward, selected him, so the dispatches state, Chief of Administration of the Canal Zone, his place being analogous to that of Gov. Magooon, before the latter's transfer to Cuba. It is understood that Commissioner Blackburn's detail will bring to him an increased salary, which may amount to as much as \$14,000 per annum. We used to love old Joe, but since he has apparently turned his back on Democracy and become a traitor to the party which honored him for thirty odd years, we bid him adieu and trust that he will be happy with his new found friends.

Joe has forgotten what the party did for him during the 30 years, in the bitter memory of what it did to him the odd year. The State Journal should remember old Joe acquired that envenomed style of conversation in talking about Republicans. We feel charitable rather than honored in making a place for the old Democratic warrior.

A Winter Resort.

Fourteen million people outside the United States own allegiance to her. In some of these, notably, Alaska, allegiance was the mark on which their citizens were reared. Others take their allegiance like medicine, while the people of Porto Rico, used to a pretty coarse diet of patroism, find the new American brand quite palatable. We haven't quite as many millions as has England, and don't care. Fourteen millions is a good start considering how unsettled up the world was before we went into the insular possession business, and really this number has proved embarrassing at times. However, our institutions, like our Anglo-Saxon natures, are elastic and we have been able to accommodate the colonies without disrupting the union, tarnishing the flag or tearing the constitution.

Nicaragua must be the Central American bully. All the other little fellows are now talking of gang whipping Nicaragua, the president, has ambitions to be dictator of all Central America. At least, that is what his enemies are saying to stir up Costa Rica and Guatemala to join Salvador and Honduras against him.

Former United States Senator Teller wept when he considered the Colorado senatorial situation. But then, Mr. Teller might be expected to manifest more pessimism over the situation than other people.

"Churnless butter" is a product, which a Nashville company has been organized to manufacture, but when they put it on the market the pure food commission will compel them to label it "oleo."

We believe the federal census bureau has not done Paducah justice in matter of population; but at that, our 22,464 looks big beside Cairo's 13,910.

Better put two suits of flannels under that new Easter suit.

IN HUMOROUS VEIN.

All Tainted—Woman of the House—"Did you ever earn an honest dollar in your life?" Goodman Gonrong—"I reckon not, ma'am. I never got a dollar fresh from the mint, and I won't even feel sure about that."—Chicago Tribune.

Swellup (after the dinner)—"Yes, I told that pretty girl next to me every thing I knew."

Rival—"I noticed that you were pretty quiet over at that end of the table."—Detroit Free Press.

PANAMA CITY IS
WINTER RESORT

Dr. D. F. Reeder Tells of Sanitation of Isthmus

Rigid Purity of Life Necessary to Good Health in Tropics, Says Hospital Physician.

WORK OF BIG DITCH GOES ON.

Dr. D. F. Reeder who recently returned from Panama left last night with his wife for the east and later they will sail for Panama, where Dr. Reeder will resume his work in the Ancon hospital. A year ago today, Dr. Reeder who then lived in this city and was associated with Dr. J. W. Pendley, went to Panama under the civil service and after spending ten months there, returned to his bride in Paducah. In his ten months on the isthmus, Dr. Reeder became thoroughly familiar with conditions in the canal zone, and especially with health conditions.

His work was in the Ancon hospital in Panama City on the Pacific ocean side of the isthmus. This hospital has a capacity of 1,000 patients a day, and averages 500 patients. He was one of a number of physicians carried to the zone by the government to make conditions there sanitary, and as far as possible, make it healthy for the officers and laborers. Before he left, he saw Panama City as sanitary as Paducah and with probably no more sickness.

Dr. Reeder was in the famous Culbra cut when President Roosevelt made his trip over the canal zone.

Here he saw the president accompanied by the canal officials, wading through mud knee-deep, and in the rain without any protection. The president overlooked nothing, going into the private residences and laborers' huts, and particularly asking the women if they were satisfied with life on the isthmus and the official government. Occasionally he stopped to kiss a baby or pat its cheek.

A Winter Resort.

"Panama City now," says Dr. Reeder, "is becoming a winter health resort, under the careful management of the American medical corps. This city that formerly was so dirty and unhealthy, now presents a most attractive appearance and it was accomplished by the simplest sanitary measures, some of which have been advocated or practiced by the Paducah board of health. The first great problem was to eliminate the mosquitoes. This was done by draining every stagnant pool, by cutting away all the weeds and underbrush and the luxuriant tropical growth, which are natural breeding places for the germ carrying mosquitoes. The dread yellow fever has about disappeared there, though in other parts of the country, where the old conditions still obtain, there is no change in the death rate. I believe American medical science can overcome any of the sanitary problems of the Central

Cannot Be Shipped in Here by River Any More.

Thomas Sanders, humane officer, will at once begin making trips to the river when packets arrive to inspect cattle. Often diseased cattle sometimes badly crippled are shipped here. Since he instituted his regular trips to stockyards and livery stables he has found many horses and cattle to be placed in the veterinary hospital.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT
Every dose makes you feel better. Lax-Pac keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

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Good six room cottage on Guthrie avenue, built in 1905. Water on back porch, street car service, lot 40x165 to 20 ft. alay. Beautiful shade trees. Telephone 127.

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Stroud Acquitted.

Dispatches received yesterday by friends announce the acquittal at Los Angeles of Thomas Stroud, the Paducah boiler maker, who was charged with murdering Joseph Sine, another boiler maker. Sine's dying statement helped Stroud in exonerating.

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NEW SOX.

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NEW SHIRTS.

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Flye room cottage on West Jefferson street new, modern and improved, \$2500, on convenient payments. H. C. Hollins, Real Estate and Rentals, Trueheart Bldg.

Paradise is for those who command their anger.—From the Koran.

and South American countries."

Labor conditions on the zone are improving simultaneously with the sanitary conditions. The West Indian negroes from Dr. Reeder's observation, are the poorest specimens on the isthmus, and they are being replaced by Italians, Spaniards, Australians and a few American laborers. There are no Chinese or Japanese except a few here and there left from the former French effort to dig the canal. An interesting story of the Chinese is told by Dr. Reeder. Several hundred of the Chinese, after the French threw up the job as hopeless, became intensely homesick and despondent from ill health. It is said that practically all of these Chinese committed suicide within a few hours of one another.

Heat Not Severe.

The heat on the isthmus is not severe except at noon when it is oppressive. In the evenings it is necessary at times to sleep under blankets. The rainy season lasts nine months in the year, and some rains fall every day in that period. However, the actual operations of digging the canal go on all the time, under the adverse conditions. Dr. Reeder expects to see the canal finished in seven years. The dirt excavated is used in filling up swamps.

That extremes or extreme conditions have the same effect on the human system, is proven in a comparison of the effects of drinking intoxicants in the tropical zones, and in the arctic zones. It is suicide absolutely to drink alcoholic beverages in the canal zone. Those laborers who do drink, and they are now confined mostly to the native laborers, are the most susceptible to disease and the death rate among them is appalling. In his hospital experience Dr. Reeder became convinced that health could be retained in the zone only by rigid purity of life in every way. It is a well-known fact that north-polar region explorers shun intoxicants as their most deadly foe.

Altogether, Dr. Reeder thinks that the canal zone has not been overpraised by the president and other fair-minded observers. Most of the bad reputation the canal has received, has come from laborers and officers who have been discharged and who give as their excuse for returning the unhealthy conditions. Dr. Reeder expects to be gone on this trip for eight months, his stay to be determined by his wife's health. After that time, he expects to return to Paducah and engage in the practice of medicine. It is probable that he will see Europe before their return.

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DISEASED CATTLE

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LOCAL NEWS

M. O. LIGHTING PLANT FAILURE.

After Costly Experiment Galena Sells Property.

Madison, Wis., March 30.—The Dubuque and Southwestern Wisconsin Railroad company has purchased the municipal lighting plant at Galena, Ill., and also taken over the contracts for lighting Galena for 25 years.

The plant never has been profitable and was built on the funds of a bond issue, the interest on which has not been paid.

Commencing at once, all ice cream delivered at residences will be sent C. O. D. H. G. Thompson.

Detective T. J. Moore left this morning for Henderson to bring back Phil Skinner, colored, charged with stealing a suit of clothes from Stationman Otto Hampton, of the fire company No. 1, several weeks ago.

You know your calling cards are correct when they come from the Sun office. Script cards and plate, \$1.50 a hundred; the Old English at \$3.00.

If you haven't time to go home for dinner try Whitehead's 25¢ dinner, 215 Broadway.

Miss Jennie Sloan has been placed in temporary charge of Miss Jessie Rook's grade at the Longfellow building.

Miss Runge Stenographer and Notary Public, Palmer House lobby. Phone 14.

See Brunson's Easter plant display at 529 Broadway.

Fine carriages at 50¢ per dozen at Brunson's 529 Broadway.

City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to the Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub. Co.

Drink Belvedere the Paducah beer.

Contractor George Katterjohn has returned from Princeton with his force of bricklayers, having completed the brick work on the Illinois Central station at Princeton.

Old vehicles made like new. Carriages and wagons built to order. Repairing, painting, trimming, rubber tires, etc., at Sexton's Sign Works, Sixteenth and Madison. Phone 404.

Brunson's Easter plant display at 529 Broadway, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

C. L. Brunson & Co. will have their Easter Plant display on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, at their store, 529 Broadway. Don't fail to see this display. Open until 9 p. m.

We give you better carriage and better service for the money, than is given by any transfer company in America. Fine carriages for special occasions on short notice, also elegant liveried rigs. Palmer Transfer Co.

Just received, Spaulding's new baseball guide for 1907. R. D. Clements & Co.

With every one dollar cash purchase L. W. Henneberger Co., Inc., The House of Quality, will give one admission ticket free to the electric theater, next door.

Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

The exhaust drum to the gasoline engine in the rear of S. B. Gott's restaurant, on North Fourth street, exploded last evening at 8 o'clock, making a noise audible several blocks. The engine operates dynamos for the electricity used in lighting the restaurant.

Dora Clark, colored, 36 years old, died yesterday of complications at 1320 Madison street, and will be buried tomorrow in Oak Grove cemetery.

The Baltic Sea is not salty enough to sustain the life of the oyster.

The price of a want ad. is one cent a word for one insertion and two cents a word for three insertions, cash to accompany the order.

PEOPLE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

Matinee Musical Club.

An attractive miscellaneous program will be rendered at the Matinee Musical club on Wednesday afternoon at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church as follows:

Leaders, Miss Mamie O'Brien, Miss Lula Reed.

Current Events.

1. Paper—"Miracle and Mystery Plays." "The Oratorio"—Mrs. Edward Bringhurst.

2. Piano solo—"Spinning Song" from "The Flying Dutchman"—Wagner—Miss Virginia Newell.

3. Vocal duet—"O, That We Two Were Maying"—Alice Mary Smith, Mrs. David Flournoy, Mr. Richard Scott.

4. Piano solo (a) "Serenade"—Liebling, (b) "Sonntagsmorgen auf dem Glion"—Bendel—Miss Mary Scott.

5. Vocal solo—Selected—Miss Anne Bradshaw.

6. Piano duet—Selections from "Peer Gynt"—Greig—Misses Ham and Eades.

7. Vocal solo (a) "With a Violet"—Greig, (b) "I Murmur Not"—Schumann—Mr. Robert Scott.

Magazine Club Regular Meeting.

The Magazine club will meet on Thursday, April 11, with Mrs. A. L. Dabney on North Fifth street. Beside the regular program for the April meeting, there will be an election of officers.

Open Social Meeting.

The Church Furnishing society of the First Christian church will have an open meeting on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. A. Berry on North Seventh street. The Ladies Aid society is invited to be their guest. A musical program will be the feature:

Piano duet—Mrs. George B. Hart, Miss Puryear.

Vocal solo—Mrs. David M. Flouri-

noy. Violin solo—Mr. Skelton. Mrs. Geo. B. Hart at the piano.

Vocal solo—Miss Luella Johnston.

Violin and cornet selections—Messrs. Clark and Robert Bondurant, Miss Mary Bondurant at the piano.

There will be no meeting of the Five Hundred club this week. Mrs. Alonso R. Meyers will entertain the club on Wednesday, April 10, at her home on West Broadway.

What Worried Mark's Mother.

I was always told that I was a sickly and precarious and tiresome and uncertain child, and lived mainly on allopathic medicines during the first seven years of my life. I asked my mother about this, in her old age—she was in her eighty-eighth year—and said:

"I suppose that during all that time you were uneasy about me?"

"Yes, the whole time."

"Afraid I couldn't live?"

After a reflective pause—ostensibly to think out the facts:

"No—afraid you would."—Mark Twain's Autobiography in the North American Review.

For Sale.

Eight room frame residence of two stories, newly painted, sewerage, bath and all modern improvements, lot 50x175 ft., for wholesale or storage house on South Second street, between Adams and Jackson. Bargain. See L. D. Sanders, 318 South Sixth. Phone 765.

For Sale.

Miss Agnes Carney, of Mayfield, who has been visiting Mrs. L. A. Abritton, has returned home.

Miss Mayme Baynham is visiting her mother near Mayfield.

Miss Cora Meadows has returned from Mayfield, where she has been visiting her brother Mr. Frank Gilham.

Mrs. Oscar Evans, of Benton, Ill., is visiting Mrs. Martin Vogt.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Owen, of Tyler, a son.

Mr. Fred Moore and wife, of Johnson City, Ill., arrived in the city at noon.

Mrs. Charles J. Scholz, of Evans-

ton, Germany's New Railway Rates.

The new German railway passenger rate is 2.68 cents a mile, first-class, with no reduction for round trip tickets and no free baggage. For express trains the rates will be higher, causing a substantial addition to the cost of travel. The object is to keep local passengers off the long distance trains. For second-class the rate is 1.72 cents, with an additional charge for baggage and for express trains. Railway tickets are taxed. This adds to the traveler's expense. The density of traffic averages much greater in Germany than in the United States.—Baltimore Sun.

Attention Sir Knights.

You are earnestly requested to meet at Asylum Sunday morning at 9:30 a. m. Bring full uniform (except sword) for purpose of attending Easter service at Presbyterian church Sixth and Kentucky avenue, at 11 o'clock a. m.

GEO. O. INGRAM, Com.

FRED ACKER, Sec.

They Lace In Front

In Transit.

Men spoke of her as "passing fair;"

But Time flies by so fast,

Now some of these same men declare

She's actually "past."

—The Catholic Standard and Times.

ville, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kammler, of Kentucky avenue, left this morning for her home.

Mr. Clay Lemon, of the Mayfield Messenger, arrived in the city at noon to spend Sunday here.

Mr. James Nagel has returned from Mayfield, where he has been on business.

Mrs. W. L. Elchberg, delegate to the Woman's Mission society from Memphis, left at noon for Cincinnati, where she will deliver an address.

Mr. John Tinsley returned to his home in Kuttawa today after a business trip to the city.

Mrs. W. L. Scott left at noon for Terre Haute, Ind., to visit her children, who are attending school at St. Marys, Ind.

Miss Jewell Hill went to Crayneville today after visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. J. Miller, 1801 Monroe street.

Mrs. Elizabeth Raines returned to her home in Nashville today, after visiting relatives in the county.

Col. John Van Culin, formerly of Paducah but now of New York, is in the city on a business trip. He is engaged in the chewing gum business and doing well.

Mrs. Myrtle Decker will return from Clarksdale, Miss., tomorrow where she has visited Mrs. W. J. Campbell for several weeks.

Miss Luella Johnston, of Dallas, Texas, is the guest of Mrs. J. M. Buckner, at Jefferson and Eighth streets.

Miss Eloise Bradshaw returned home last night from Belmont College Nashville, to spend Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw, of Broadway.

Mr. Earl Dunn, of Seventh and Clay streets, who is ill of fever, is reported better today.

H. C. Albrtton, of Mayfield, is in the city.

C. H. Wilson, of Smithland, is in the city.

W. M. Tucker, foreman of the Illinois Central boiler shops, has gone to Evansville on business.

Attorneys John G. Miller and Mike Oliver went to Dexter this morning to take depositions.

Miss Vivian Hall, of Fulton, arrived at noon to visit Mrs. J. M. Walton.

Mr. Gus Covington, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Miss Grace Williams, of Krebs Station, is in the city.

Pleasant Reminder.

Among the passengers on board an excursion steamer making a tour around the coast was a wealthy retired plumber. One day a number of whales were sighted, and the plumber was in ecstasies.

"Pretty sight isn't it?" remarked a lady to him.

"Beautiful, mum beautiful!" replied the plumber. "Why, when they scoop out water like that it just reminds me of burst water pipes."

London Tit-Bits.

Notice.

We are in a position to give close attention to the collection of rents and securing tenants for vacant property. If you want a tenant or a purchaser, place your real estate with us. Telephone 127, H. C. Hollins, Real estate and rentals, Trueheart Building.

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FOR HEATING AND STOVEWOOD RING

437 F. Levin.

FOR SALE

Barred Plymouth Rock eggs \$1 per 15. Phone 1440.

FOR RENT

Furnished front room. Apply at 509 Washington St.

CLOTHES

Cleaned, pressed, repaired. Jas. Duffy, Phone 959-a.

ASK

Your grocer for Smith & Butz's Bread and Cakes. Telephone 69-a.

WANTED

To buy second hand iron fence. Must be cheap. Old phone 1658.

WANTED

Good work horse and fresh milk cattle. Ring old phone 566. Jas. R. Moore.

FOR RENT

Third floor over Frank Just's barber shop, 117 N. 4th St. Apply F. M. Fisher, Post Office.

BOY WANTED

To learn hardware business. Not over 16 years old. Scott Hardware Co.

TAKEN UP

Little red and white spotted cow, left ear crooked, Apply 1107 S. Ninth.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

Lettuce	5 cents a bunch
Sweet potatoes.....	60 cents bushel
Irish potatoes	60 cents bushel
Young onions	15 cents bushel
Greens	10 cents a bunch
Beets	2 bunches 15 cents
Radishes	5 cents a bunch
Strawberries	10 cents box
Grape fruit	3 for 25 cents
Bananas	15 cents dozen
Oranges	20 cents a dozen
Apples	30 cents a peck
Chickens	40 to 75 cents
Turkeys	15 cents a lb
Eggs	15 cents a dozen
Butter	25 cents a pound
Rhubarb	5 cents bunch
Peas	10 cents a box
Ham	17c lb
Sausage	10c lb
Lard	12c lb

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BIG RAILROAD WRECKS IN AMERICAN HISTORY.

Year.	Killed.
1856—Campbell, Pa.	66
1876—Ashtabula, Ohio	80
1887—Chatsworth, Ill.	85
1888—Mud Run, Pa.	66
1896—Atlantic City	47
1903—Laurel Run, Pa.	65
1904—Eden, Ohio	94
1904—Newmarket, Tenn.	63
1906—Atlanta City	64
1906—Woodville, Ind.	61
1907—New York	41

Mrs. Kennedy's Mother Dies.
Mrs. Lucy G. Elgin died this week
at Hopkinsville. She was the mother
of Mrs. W. B. Kennedy, wife of the
tobacco buyer.

A man's idea of good luck is any
old kind that leaves him a few dol-
lars ahead of the other fellow's
game.

THEATRICAL NOTES

AT THE KENTUCKY.
Tonight, The Mack-Leone Company
in "The Girl of The Streets."
Thursday night, complimentary lecture
under the auspices of The
Knights of Columbus, "Knight-
hood Is Yet in Flower" by the
Hon. Le Vega Clements, of Ow-
ensboro, Ky.

Friday night and Saturday matinee,
"The Flower Carnival", under the
auspices of the D. A. R.

Mack-Leone Company.

The Mack-Leone company's en-
gagement at The Kentucky closes
tonight when a "Girl of the Streets"
will be presented. This bill is, as
the title indicates, a melodrama, but
its treatment is quite unlike the
present day form of melodramatic
writing which is too often meaning-
less or disagreeably exaggerated and
distorted in plot and character draw-
ing.

Tonight's offering is said to be
free from the stigma of such writing
and tel's in a clean, legitimate
manner, a pretty story with a happy
mixture of comedy and pathos. Miss
Leone has an ingenuine role which
forms a contrast to the usual
heroines local playgoers are used to
seeing her portray. The other char-
acters pleasingly contrast rural and
urban types and work out the
interesting plot in a pleasing manner.
The company is cast to excellent ad-
vantage and the evening should prove
an entertaining one.

Girl of the Golden West.

During the second act of "The
Girl of the Golden West" in which
Blanche Bates comes to the Kentuc-
ky thatre on April 8, the action takes
place during a raging storm. The
scene is the cabin of the girl on the
slope of Cloudy mountain and the
posse under Jack Rance, the sheriff,
which is pursuing the bandit. The
ferocity of the storm prevents Ram-
merez leaving the cabin and thus
eventually places him in the hands
of Rance, officer of the law, and the
bandit's rival. Nothing that David
Belasco has ever done in the way of
stage effects exceeds in realism this
storm. The wind whirling down the
mountain side; the whirling sleet
and snow, which drives in through
the door as the storm blows it open,
the rattling of the windows so and
the circulation of chilling air on the
stage are all so naturally accom-
plished that an audience invariably feel
an inclination to turn up its coat col-
lars and put on its wraps. It is a
matter of fact that the orchestra
and that portion of the audience oc-
cupying the first few rows of or-
chestra seats, do actually shiver, be-
cause the wind which drives the
snow before it, in reality, is a cold
wind, manufactured behind the
scenes and blown across the stage
and out into the house. This moun-
tain storm has been called one of
the most thrilling and impressive
bits of realism ever credited to a pro-
ducer.

They Lace In Front

Joseph Baker Here.

Joseph Baker, assistant superin-
tendent of machinery of the Illinois
Central, is in the city today looking
after the work in the shops. It is a
general inspection he has been on
for several weeks, and the report
that he came here specifically to look
into the trouble between the local
yard men and local officials is de-
fined.

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RIVER NEWS

River Stages.

Cairo	40.5	0.6	fall
Chattanooga	5.2	0.2	fall
Cincinnati	26.3	3.8	fall
Evansville	37.8	1.8	fall
Florence	3.9	0.1	fall
Johnsonville	10.1	0.7	fall
Louisville	9.9	2.9	fall
Mt. Carmel	9.8	0.5	fall
Nashville	10.3	0.2	fall
Pittsburg	10.5	0.5	fall
St. Louis	15.4	1.0	rise
Mt. Vernon	49.1	1.7	fall
Paducah	39.7	1.0	fall

also had some on board in this
week's trips. One experienced clerk
this morning said the increased for-
ces largely is due to the old men
quitting the business.

To get back on time and for other
reasons, it is, probable that the But-
torff will not make the Clarksville
trip this week, but will arrive next
Wednesday on time to leave for
Nashville.

Among the towboats, the Pavonia
will arrive Sunday from the Cum-
berland river with ties.

The Russell Lord will arrive Mon-
day from the Tennessee river with
ties for the Ayer-Lord Tie company.

The big Sprague with a bigger
tow of coal, passed down last night
from Pittsburgh for lower Mississippi
river points.

The Charles Turner will leave
Sunday for the Cumberland river after
tires.

The Mary Michael will leave Sun-
day for the Hatchie river below Mem-
phis after logs for the Ferguson and
Palmer mills.

Pete M. Martin is on the Kentuc-
ky as third clerk, making his second
trip this week.

The Peters Lee arrived this after-
noon from Cincinnati with a good
trip and went down to Memphis af-
ter taking on the local business.

Captain Will Green of the H. A.
Petter Supply company, has return-
ed from a drumming trip.

Not much room is taken up by
the little City of Terre Haute at the
wharf, and beside the George Cow-
ling and Roya', it looks like a gas-
oline boat for pleasure purposes; but

In Paducah, most of the packets
have cub clerks and the Lee liners
have cub clerks and the Lee liners

freight, principally produce, carried
by this boat.

The sheet iron shields are being
put on the Clyde at the ways today
and that packet practically new,
probably will be let off the ways
next week. The Maude Kliger also

will be a new boat when the repairs
are finished.

The City of Saltillo arrived from
the Tennessee river last night at 9
o'clock and left at midnight after
knocking a big hole in the freight
accumulated on the wharfb, for
St. Louis.

The Russell Lord will arrive Mon-
day from the Tennessee river.

The Savannah arrived today from
St. Louis on the up trip to the Ten-
nessee river.

No excursion is planned for the
Dick Fowler tomorrow.

Business was fair in the Cairo
trade today.

The George Cowling will make
three trips Sunday between Padu-
cah and Metropolis.

The Kentucky will leave this ev-
ening for the Tennessee river.

The Joe Fowler in the Evansville
trade made schedule time today.

A big barge was taken out on the
dry docks this morning for repairs.

Official Forecasts.

The Ohio, from Evansville to Cal-
ifornia, will continue to fall at slowly
increasing rate during the next several
days.

The Tennessee from Florence to
the mouth, will continue to fall
slowly.

The Mississippi from below St.
Louis to Chester, will rise during
the next 24 hours. At Cape Girar-

deau, no material change during
the next 12 hours, followed by slow-
ly rising.

The Wabash at Mt. Carmel, will
fall slowly during the next 24 hours.

The Putnam cottage at Greenwich
Conn., about 200 years old, is to be
dedicated as a museum by the Put-
nam Chapter of the Daughters of the
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EXCHANGE WIVES.

Two Elgin Men Shock the Whole Community.

Elgin, Ill., March 30.—Dissatisfied with Cupid's original arrangements, two Elgin husbands are said have swapped their homes and wives and all four persons concerned are reported to be satisfied with the result. They say the breadwinners of the family have only changed boarding houses. William Warner of 466 Cleveland avenue is now living at the home of Mrs. William McPherson, at 464 Cleveland avenue, while Mr. McPherson is the guest of Mrs. Warner, at the Warner home next door. With Warner is his daughter. When asked if there had been an actual exchange of wives effected, all four simply smiled and refused to affirm or deny. They all seem happy, and what ever the conditions are all are familiar with them, as the two homes are but a few yards apart.

An English woman writes to the Woman at Home that she always uses an alarm clock in her kitchen to save her from overbaking what she may happen to have in the oven.

How the henpecked man does crow when he is away from home!

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SPINSTERS' SPLEEN QUICKLY AROUSED

Demand That City Cease Efforts in Their Behalf

Well Meant Proceedings of General Council to Compel Matrimony Are Stopped.

MATTER IS SERIOUS TO THEM.

Fort Dodge, Iowa, March 30.—Thoroughly frightened by the spinster of Fort Dodge, who for five days have waged a tireless and harassing campaign against the ordinance now pending before the city council to force bachelors and spinsters to marry the special committee to which the measure was referred will report adversely to the mayor and the whole council tomorrow night.

"I can stand the men," said C. J. Crawford, chairman of the committee, "but when it comes to being met by a regular dragon in skirts every time the door bell rings and being stormed and raged at until your accuser gets out of breath and then stamps her foot and marches out, hurling a final burst of vituperative epithets at you, I beat retreat. Why, I have been hounded at every turn by these spinsters. They storm and rage, and then they burst into tears and plead and cajole."

"They won't listen to reason. Every argument is met with withering scorn. They band all their friends and relatives on their side, and the men who hold out for the ordinance is sure to lose every friend he has, blast every hope he ever dared to raise."

Sees Need of Ordinance.

"The ordinance is a great need at Fort Dodge. Every one knows it is true there are more bachelors and spinsters here than in any other town of its size in the West. A lot of them are rich and have no one dependent on them. They should marry by all that is right, but unless compelled to by an ordinance such as this they never will."

Judge Busby, another member of the committee, said:

"Yes we have agreed to an unfavorable report. These women are relentless, and to report that measure for passage would mean to destroy forever a man's hopes of earthly peace, and, if we are to believe the spinsters, place in jeopardy his fate hereafter."

The leaders of the opposition for the start has been Miss Jessie Cameron, matron of Castlewood private school for children. She organized the entire unmarried population of her sex in the town and aroused them to action. She has been untiring in her efforts to defeat the bill and has headed committees, called mass meetings and led organized efforts of every kind.

A delegation of spinsters waited upon Mayor Bennett and remonstrated against the passage of such a measure. The mayor defended the plan and offered to find each one of the party a husband and marry them all free of charge. The offer was not accepted.

Many Seek Helpmeets.

Mayor Bennett is being flooded with letters from various parts of the country from persons who are anxious to find good helpmeets and would locate in Fort Dodge if they were able to get mates.

"To these I am replying that I will do all in my power to aid them in their search," said the mayor today. "I hope to officiate at many more marriages before my term of office expires."

"I have received more than a thousand letters so far in regard to the matter. Some of the writers before me as a crank and mountebank, while the greater number are enthusiastic over the plan suggested." The mayor would not admit to

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buried under a snowslide at Geisenberg, Norway, in which thirteen persons perished. The animals dragged several of the victims to places of safety.



EASTER PREPARATIONS

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on display

Smart Shirt Styles—Manhattan, E. & W. and Emery, liberally proportioned, perfectly made

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50c to \$3.00

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night that all hope for the measure was lost. He says he will fight to the last for the plan, which he put before the council. In speaking of his plan he said:

"We found a condition here that was considered detrimental to the best interests of the community. Large numbers of well-to-do bachelors and spinsters refuse to marry, and for the purpose of stimulating wedlock this ordinance was proposed and presented to the council, and if passed I assure you it will be enforced."

"Fort Dodge, although a growing and prosperous city of upward of 16,000 should be larger, and would be larger and better from the standpoint of morals and happiness if all did their matrimonial duty.

"Inasmuch as the bachelors and spinsters seem inclined to shirk responsibility in this direction this movement of the council is for the purpose of being the master home to them and compelling them to do this duty as regards marriage and good citizenship."

The measure is designed to compel all bachelors and spinsters between the ages of 25 and 45 to marry

W. T. MILLER
Enters the Race—Entries Closed;
They Are Off.

At the earnest request of my friends, who know I have the interest of the city at heart, I have decided to enter the race and earnestly solicit the support of my friends in this undertaking. I promise to make a clean canvas. I will not engage in mud throwing or say anything derogatory to the character of my opponents, nor will I make any engagements that I will not fulfill; but I am ready and willing at all times to

furnish you a high-grade or medium piano or our own make direct from the factory and save you the commission that you may otherwise pay to agencies. I am here to stay and make each guarantee good, a vote for me is a vote for your own interest and your children's happiness and improvement. Polls are open each day, Sunday excepted, at 518 Broadway.

W. T. MILLER.

Matrimonial Agent (discussing some feminine candidates)—"But don't you think the fat one pretty?"

Wife Seeker—"No, I think her

only pretty fat."—Lustige Blaetter.

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the oldest bottled in
bond whiskey he
has in stock and you
will get either
EARLY TIMES or
JACK BEAM. It's
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E. G. Lewis Fights Postoffice.
St. Louis, Mo., March 30.—The legal fight between the postoffice department and E. G. Lewis, over the permanent injunctions sought by Lewis to prevent Postmaster Wyman from enforcing the order of the postmaster general, excluding the Woman's Magazine and Woman's Farm Journal from the second-class mails, began in earnest today in the United States court, following a decision by United States Judge Trieber overruling a motion to dismiss the Lewis bill as applying to the Woman's Magazine.

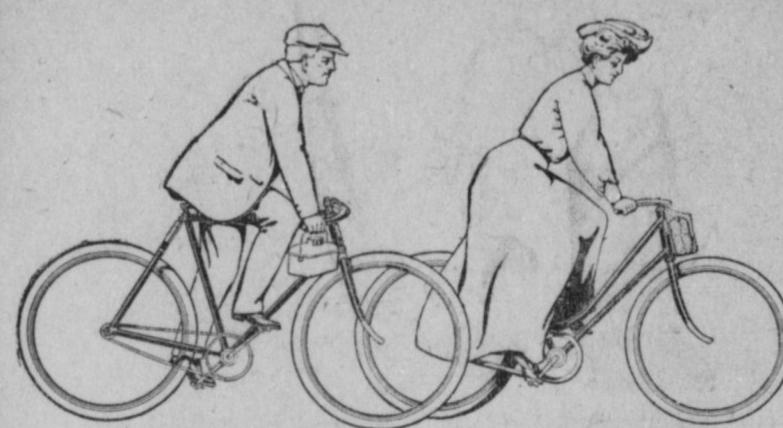
The United States patent office is months behind in its work.

WORKERS WHO WHEEL AND WHAT THEY GAIN

LEGIONS OF RIDERS WHO ARE TRUE TO THE BICYCLE.

Bicycle riders who have been getting into the game again, and who are wondering why they have delayed so long about it are apt to have a feeling of self-consciousness until they gradually realize that literally hundreds of thousands of riders have never given up the wheel at all. It put a rather difficult perspective on bicycling, when they come to know that there were half a million wheels made in the United States in 1906, and that every manufacturer who was forehand enough to provide for material expects to increase his output fifty per cent, this year.

These figures, large as they are,



HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS NEVER STOPPED.

will bear close analysis and their correctness is unquestioned. Manufacturers who are short on essential bicycle parts at this writing are already predicting a famine in the wheel markets, and the country has not heard that sort of a statement before in a good many years. One eastern manufacturer, whose sales are largely made direct to riders, has given out the statement that he had more orders on his books January 1st, 1907, than he ever had before—and his records include the so-called fat years.

The recent general revival of wheeling is simply another proof of the old adage that you can't keep a good thing down. When the fickle public turned its back on the wheel as a pure fad, the bicycle makers trimmed their sails to meet the changed conditions, and for half-a dozen years were content to put out their It seemed that no sooner was button touched in the wheel business than the reaction began. It was very slow at first; very gradual, but the bicycle had so many good points that its growth has continued year by year, until at the present time the manufacturers are facing conditions akin to those of ten years ago, just preceding the immense sales of the middle 90's.

And in these ten years those who have never given up the wheel have

INFLUENCE OF CATHOLICS

In Anglo-Saxon Countries Brought to Attention of Pope.

Rome, March 29.—The prominent Anglo-Saxon prelates now here have presented to the papal secretary of state, Merry del Val, a memorandum setting forth the importance of the Anglo-Saxon Catholic world. It was stated in the memorandum that the Catholics in the United States, Canada, Ireland, Great Britain and the British colonies number in all about 45,000,000, and it was asserted that no Catholics so vigorously took up the cause of the church in its conflict with the French government as the Americans, Irish and English, who were classed as the wealthiest Catholics and as those from whom the Holy See can expect the greatest amount of support.

The memorandum concluded with asking for better representation of the Anglo-Saxons in the sacred college. It is believed that the step taken by the Anglo-Saxon prelates has had considerable effect, and it is

even hoped that the pope may consider the list of cardinals to be appointed at the consistory of April 15, with the possibility of the inclusion of an Anglo-Saxon prelate who would be created in pectore, that is to say, that his name would not be published for the present, although his elevation to the sacred college would date from April 15.

Administration Wins.

Louisville, March 30.—Governor Beckham gave another proof of his complete mastery of the Democratic party, when, at the meeting of the state Democratic campaign committee, held at the Seelbach, his choice, Mr. Harvey McClellan, was selected as permanent secretary of the committee.

In London's new criminal court, on the old Bailey site, prisoners will climb up white marble stairs to reach the dock.

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The Carnival of Flowers is an event which has been eagerly anticipated in Paducah for many weeks. When the rehearsals were first begun amid the chill and gloom of January and February, Friday of Easter week seemed a "dealing in futures" entirely, and now it is hard to believe that Easter, April, the spring-time and the "Carnival of Flowers" are really upon us. All Paducah is in some way identified with this event. Most everybody's child is in it, or some relation is a sponsor, or one's civic pride and patriotism is touched by the cause for which it is given, and there will be no lack of a generous audience at the Kentucky theatre to do the occasion honor. The boxes have all been taken and it will be a gala social event. The program and those taking part, the matrons and their assistants, and the various committees are:

1. Overture—Deal's Orchestra.
2. Tableaux and Becker's Spring-tide solo—Miss Mamie Dryfuss, Goddess of Flowers.

3. Butterfly Dance.
4. Doll Dance solo—Little Susan Porter Sleeth.

5. Frog Dance.
6. Water Lilies.

7. Carnation Dance.
8. Poppy Dance.

9. Little D. A. R. Dance—Charlotte Wheeler.
10. Snow Ball.

11. Chrysanthemum Dance.
12. Spanish Dance, solo—Miss Mildred Orme.

13. Rose Dance.
14. Sun Flower Dance.

15. Procession of Flowers, with "America" sung by all.

Matrons and Their Assistants.
Matron of Butterfly Dance—Mrs. Charles Wheeler.

Assistant—Mrs. I. D. Wilcox.
Matrons of Frog Dance—Mrs. I. O. Walker, Mrs. C. H. Chamblin.
Matrons of Water Lily Dance—Mrs. Hal Walters, Mrs. Claude Russell.

Assistant—Mrs. Will Gray.
Matron of Carnation Dance—Mrs. M. B. Nash.

Assistants—Mrs. David Van Culin, Mrs. Hal Corbett.
Matron of Snow Ball—Mrs. H. S. Wells.

Assistants—Mrs. W. J. Hills, Mrs. Victor Voris.
Matron of Chrysanthemums—Mrs. Fannie Allard.

Assistants—Mrs. H. G. Reynolds, Mrs. Jos. L. Friedman.
Matron of Rose Dance—Mrs. Lloyd Boswell.

Assistants—Mrs. Frank Boyd, Mrs. Armour Gardner, Mrs. Bettie Buckner.
Sun Flower Matron—Mrs. George C. Thompson.

Decorating Committee—Mrs. L. S. DuBois, chairman; Miss Emily Morrow, Mrs. James Baldwin and Mrs. Kittie Willis.

Music Committee—Mrs. George B. Hart, chairman.

Advertising Committee—Miss Emily Morrow, Mrs. Roy McKinney and Mrs. Reynolds.

Prof. John H. Mahler, and wife, of St. Louis, have directed this beautiful carnival and have proven themselves artists.

Mrs. E. G. Boone is chairman of the Flower Carnival.

Dances and Dancers.

Butterfly—Charlotte Wheeler, Elizabeth Hale, Vivian Ruble, Frances Adams, Kathleen Palmer, Marie Berry, Mollie Gardner, Helen Pulliam, Ione Rose, Juliet Thompson, Jane Adair Wright, Muriel Riker, Elizabeth Hills, Elizabeth Quick, Annie Smith, Elizabeth Reddick, Mildred Berry, Emma Gleaves, Mary Smith, Ruth Johnson, Jennie Rasch, Susan Porter Sleeth, Flo Armentrout.

Sunflowers—Misses Thompson, Callissi, St. John, Powell; Messrs. Wade, Salvo, Henneberger, Bagby.

Frogs—John Orme, soloist; Nelson Soule, leader; Thomas Rivers, David Lewis, Edgar Reddick, Ewell Russell, Charles Dorian, Conroy Dorian, Waddy Lang, Ham Loving, Warren Gilbert, Terrence Gardner, Kennett Gardner, Mark Smith, Henry Iseman, Stanley Petter, Palmer Janes.

Water Lily—Margaret Miller, leader; Lottie Briggs, Alene Scopes, Agnes Adams, Lucile Rawleigh, Gladys Warfield, Mernie Nicholson, Amy Simons, Dorothy Rowland, Bessie Michael, Irma Robertson, Katherine

Wilkinson, Elwin Berry, Beulah Acree, Mary Acker, Winnie Potter, Lucile Palmer.

Carnation—Mary Burnett, leader; Gladys Coburn, Martha Cope, Anna Hays, Eliza Hale, Sudie Cabel, Emma Greer, Tillie Bauer, Rufa Hinkle, Miriam Lewis, Mildred Anderson, Pearl Riley, Lucile Adams, Dorothy Bradford, Marian Warren, Mary Ballou, Ellen Ratcliffe.

Poppy—Mildred Orme, Lucyette Soule, leaders; Grace Hills, Ruby Michael, Sarah Corbett, Amy Dreyfuss, Lucile Well, Fred Paxton, Elizabeth Kirkland, Pearl Michael, Lucia Powell, Lillian Abbott.

Snow Ball—HeLEN Hills, Nellie Hatfield, Ethel Sights, Elizabeth Boswell, Lucile Graves, Katherine Donovan, Willie Willis, Annie Williamson, Elizabeth Williamson, Lucy Belle Soule, Mamie Bauer, Eunice Robertson, Bess Lane, Ernestine Almes Cora Richardson, Cora Wilson.

Chrysanthemums—Susie Dabney, leader; Elizabeth Terrell, Emma Boyde, Marie Weille, Rebecca Smith, Edith Cope, La Dena Iseman, Annie Washington, Laura Townes, Mary Lightfoot, Louise Campbell, Bess Gleaves, Gladys Bolling, Helen Mead Bolling, Helen Burkholder, Genevieve Broyles, Bertha Ferguson, Edith Sherrill.

Rose Dance—Inez Ayers, Frances Soule, leaders; Blanche Anderson, Pauline Durrett, Loraine Sutherland, Clarabel Futhay, Neill Holmes, Hattie Henneberger, Ida Leastiger, Rose Lee Petter, Leah Garrison, Helen Van Meter, Agnes Dunninway, Marjorie Martin, Ora Pryor, Annabel Acker, Annie Tomlinson.

The Paris Matin has proposed to organize a motor race from Pekin to Paris. It seems that the proposal is meeting with considerable support, and 18 entries have already been received, one of the latest being Prince Scipio Borghese of Rome!

"Rise, Sir Pieter Bann," said King Edward the other day at the opening of an exhibition of South African products in London, and another noble name was added to Britain's long list, that of Sir Pieter C. Van Bommert, Baron of Cape Colony.

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I was afflicted seriously with stomach trouble, and had not been able to obtain any relief from it. I had tried, until I finally heard of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi. I took a large bottle, and after taking some according to directions, I noticed a great improvement. I took another bottle, and still more, and when they were gone, I had no more trouble.

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I am in the best of health at this writing and have never been sick since I took Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi. This is a medicine recommended to anybody and have done so, and have been the means of your agents selling lots of Syrup Pepsi to towns and cities all over the country. It is a great deal of good. So many have used it since I took it; people came to me for miles around and asked me what kind of medicine I took.

MRS. ISABELLE WHEELER, Freeport, Ind.

I have used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi and was greatly benefited. Have had indigestion and stomach trouble for many years and found great relief after using it, and can cheerfully recommend it to the public.

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One can never tell what day some member of the family will become constipated or have indigestion, jaundice, flatulence, lazy liver, weak stomach, sick headache or some other ailment affecting the stomach, liver or bowels, and then Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsi will be instantly needed,

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THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Washington Horse Throws His Rider and Then Rings Door Bell for Doctor

Washington, D. C. March 30.—The Washington Times, which has always borne a high reputation for scrupulous veracity, prints the following:

"Stranger than fiction is the story of a big bay horse that threw J. H. Wurdean, Jr., of 1115 Thirteenth street northwest, in front of Dr. H. Wells Woodward's office, 1318 Massachusetts avenue northwest, and afterwards rang the physician's doorbell, summoning the latter to the aid of the injured driver about 6:30 o'clock last evening. Mr. Wurdean received a severe laceration of the scalp over the right eye. Strangely enough, Dr. Woodward is an eye, ear, and throat specialist. After receiving the necessary medical attention Mr. Wurdean went to his home a block and a half from the physician's office.

Horse Gets Beyond Control

"Yesterday afternoon Mr. Wurdean had business on Fourteenth street and used the horse and buggy. While returning to his home the horse became unmanageable near Fourteenth street and Massachusetts avenue. Rearing on its haunches, the animal lunged forward and dashed east along the avenue at break-neck speed.

"When it reached the ally halfway between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets the frightened horse galloped up on the sidewalk. Whirling around on the wheels on the right side the buggy crashed into an iron fence surrounding Dr. Woodward's lawn. Mr. Wurdean was unseated and hurled a distance of twenty feet striking his head on the fence. He fell to the sidewalk in a dazed condition, bleeding profusely from the ugly gash over his right eye.

"The suddenness with which the vehicle came to a standstill and the plunging of the horse threw the body from the buggy. Unrestricted and untrammelled, the horse stood for a moment by the prostrate driver, and then, as if possessed of human instincts, marched up the concrete walk leading to the porch on the east side of the physician's residence and mounted the platform.

Reads Sign and Rings Bell.

"At the door of the physician's office there is an electric bell with a small push button. Over this was placed a highly polished nickel plated sign reading: 'Patients enter without ring.' This evidently attracted the attention of the horse. Suffice to say, the vigorous and continued ringing of the bell attracted a member of the family to the door.

"Words could scarcely express the surprise of the woman when she opened the glass door and saw a horse

that looked as big as all out doors standing at the entrance of the office, rubbing his nose up and down on the nickel plated sign. When the woman uttered a scream the horse took his nose from the sign. He thrust his head into the vestibule and eyed her quizzically.

"The physician went to the porch to bathe the animal to the street, when he saw a crowd around a fallen man whose face and clothing were covered with blood. Mr. Wurdean was taken into the physician's office, where his wound was washed and dressed by Dr. Woodward. Later he phoned for his father, who took him to his home and had the horse sent to the stable. The buggy was practically demolished.

Physician Tells of Feat.

"Dr. Woodward said: 'It was one of the strangest things I have ever heard of. I was attending a patient in my office when I heard a thundering noise on the porch, and I remarked: "That sounds like a horse."

"An instant later the bell began to ring continuously, as if the person outside was in a big hurry. One of the servants in the house answered the ring. Her astonishment knew no bounds when she found the horse at the door. The animal poked his head almost into the office before I reached the door."

This story is illustrated with a picture of the horse ringing the bell. It is about 165 years since George Washington cut down the cherry tree.

The Moving Habit.

"Yes, we are going to move to escape housecleaning." And so are we. If I must confess it myself, I think it will take the new tenants 2 weeks to get rid of all the rubbish we are leaving behind."

"The same here. Our house will need a mop and soap from cellar to roof. By the way, where are you going?"

"No. 15 L—street."

"What? Why, that is where we are leaving."

"Well, I declare! Where are you going?"

"No. 11 B—street."

"Way, that's where we are leaving."

"Phew!"

"Great Scott!"—Tit-Bits.

Fish Hear and Talk.

At the meeting of the Academy of Sciences a paper will be read which may rob France of one of its oldest sayings, "Deaf as a fish."

Prof. Koelliker, director of the Zoological Laboratory at Naples, has sent the paper to the academy describing experiments with a special microphonograph, which proved that fish, even shellfish, emit a certain humming, varying their tones and enabling them to communicate with each other.

He found the gurnet the most loquacious and so well qualified as to be entitled to the nickname "Sea lawyer."—Paris cable to New York Sun.

In Bostonese,

The elderly person familiarly known as Aged Grimes has departed this life; that exemplary representative of senile masculinity. Our visual orbs never again shall behold the outward form within which dwelt his vital immortal principle. Customarily he was arrayed in an extremely elongated outer garment of a cinereous hue. Whose longitudinal margins were conjoined by a series of perforated disks attached anteriorly and extending in a perpendicular direction throughout its entire linearity.—Chicago Tribune.

As the new lord mayor of London rode in state along the streets the other day he heard one of his constituents remark to a companion, as they watched the procession: "Well, he's fancy himself, don't he."

CHAMPION "HARD LUCK" STORY

Arrested for Stealing, Tells of Series of Misfortunes Leading to Trouble.

New York, March 30.—A new record for "hard luck" stories was established at the Central station, city hall. The honor fell to Albert Bernstein, of 340 Federal street.

Men who have been around the police court for years and are familiar with the hardest of "hard luck" stories agreed that Bernstein's was without a peer and deserved the medal.

The particular incident that brought forth Bernstein's story was his arrest on the charge of larceny of \$50 worth of merchandise and jewelry from a Market street store. He was arrested by Special Police man Sunshine.

About six months ago Bernstein was married, and since then he declares he has had much more than his share of hard luck.

"Well, right at the start my wife has been sick a lot," said Bernstein. "I worked hard whenever I could get anything to do, and by saving every penny I could I managed to scrape together a little over \$100. I was keeping this for a rainy day for I knew we'd need it later on."

"Well, one day a store up on Market street advertised umbrellas for sale at 10 cents apiece. I told my wife it was my chance. You know they're only supposed to sell one umbrella to a single person when they let 'em go at that price, but I managed to work around the crowd and I got seven of the umbrellas. I intended selling the umbrellas for more than I paid for them, and just got started on a corner not far from the store when I discovered some one had picked my pocket. They got all my money, \$102. Since then I've been up against it, and if it hadn't been that I needed money for my wife I wouldn't have got mixed up in this job."

When Bernstein remarked that he had also been a book agent, Magistrate Kochersperger replied that that was more hard luck and held the prisoner in \$500 bail.

"We don't like the milk we get at Cannes" said the millionaire who was spending the winter abroad.

"Then why not have some shipped from Cowes?" inquired the near-humorous, with a hearty laugh. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

The oldest minister in New Hampshire is the Rev. William Hurlin of Antrim, who, in his 92nd year, is still preaching. He delivered his first sermon 72 years ago.

Seven old spoons have recently been found in the earth. They were cleaned and are of silver and gilt. They were dated 1529, and valued at \$250 each.

The water cooling device in the Herrick Refrigerator cannot be equaled. The water tank, as you will see from the cut, is attached either from the top or side of the refrigerator and is one of the outside. The water passes from this tank through a cell on which the ice rests, and is drawn from the faucet at the side of the refrigerator, ice cold. The water does not come in contact with the ice at all, therefore it is not tainted with ammonia as water usually is when the ice is put in the water. Now in the Herrick we feel perfectly satisfied that it will answer every purpose desired and expected of a refrigerator, and we make the following proposition:

SAY TO RELIEVE ALL RHEUMATISM

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime. These ingredients can be obtained at moderate cost at any good prescription pharmacy, and, being composed mainly of vegetable extracts, are harmless and will not injure the most delicate stomach.

This simple prescription is said to perform the remarkable cures, in many cases of years standing. It has a peculiar effect upon the kidneys, assisting these most important organs to filter and strain from the blood the uric acid, uric, etc., which causes the pain and misery of rheumatism.

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Development and progress are the keynote of his motto—

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They clear the streets and close the stores—he asks for naught beside;

And then he drives about the town both speedily and blindly,

And never harms his subjects dear because they run and hide.

—Minneapolis Tribune.

The Deceased Turkey.

"When I was city editor of the Virginia City Enterprise," remarked Mark Twain at a dinner in New York, "a fine turkey was one day left at the office.

"Turkeys were rare in that high are called 'love buttons.'

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Is assured you when you buy one of Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines—for all the ingredients entering into them are printed on the bottle-wrappers and their formula are attested under oath as being complete and correct. You know just what you are paying for and that the ingredients are gathered from Nature's laboratory, being selected from the most valuable native, medicinal roots found growing in our American forests. While potent to cure they are perfectly harmless even to the most delicate women and children.

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One of Most Remarkable Cases of Buried Money

Bills in Utmost Confusion Received By Treasury Department for Redemption.

SOME OTHER EXPERIENCES.

Washington, March 30.—The most remarkable identification of damaged treasury notes in the history of the government has just been completed by the division of redemption of the treasury department. A few weeks ago a packet of money was received from a bank at Evansville, Ind., with a request that the bills be identified, if possible, and good money issued in the place of the damaged bills. It was estimated by the bank that the packet contained damaged notes of a face value of about \$1,000.

Accustomed as they were to receiving money in all sorts of damaged conditions, the experts of the division were mystified by this particular packet. It was in a worse condition than any other package of money ever sent in for identification. It looked as if it might have been buried in the earth for long time. There were indications, also, that after it had been removed from the earth it had been dried in an oven. The effort to separate the bills by heating the package had been unsuccessful, for they adhered to each other as if glued, and the whole mass presented somewhat the appearance of a large plug of tobacco.

At the treasury department kerosene oil was used to separate the mass, and all of the secret processes of identification known to the bureau were employed with such extraordinary success that out of a package supposed to contain only \$1,000 worth of bills enough notes were identified to make a total of \$2,575, and that amount in crisp, new bills, has been forwarded to the bank at Evansville. The principal part of the mass consisted of notes that were issued twenty years ago and longer, and added to these were several bills of more modern date, none, however, being issued later than five years ago. The theory of the treasury department is that the main package of notes was buried underground for safekeeping twenty years ago, but that some time later it was exhumed, and the more modern bills were added and the whole again buried. The fires are started in the heating letter from the bank threw no light stoves.

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Forest Preservation.

Senator Depew chose a good subject lately when he pointed out that we had been only ten years doing a work that was carried on by the Swiss government for 500 years, with the result that Switzerland is still a habitable and happy country for the Swiss, and an unmatched summer resort for the rest of us. In Germany forestry is a government function for hundreds of years old, and in France it dates back to Louis XIV. The latter country, indeed, has just spent \$18,000,000 as a part of tree-planting operations which will cost \$24,000,000 before they are through. Instead of spending \$18,000,000 on planting in the Appalachian region, we have preferred to lose that sum in damages by floods caused by lack of those very trees. That happens to be just the total of the flood damages along the Ohio and its tributaries during the last four years.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Derivation of "Easter."

Like many another term in Christian nomenclature, the word "Easter" is derived from pagan sources. The Saxon goddess of light, "Eastrae," was honored with annual festival at the vernal equinox. The Jewish passover was also regulated by the March moon and the resurrection of Jesus occurred at this season. In later centuries the great Christian festival came to bear the pagan name "Easter" and to be celebrated at a time coincident with the Jewish feast.

The following sign is displayed by a firm of cycle and motor manufacturers at Hornsey, England: "To aeronauts: Drop here for petrol."

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THE Masquerader

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(Continued from Yesterday.)

When at last they drew up before the dark archway of Middle Temple lane he descended hastily, and as he mechanically turned to protect Eve's dress from the wheel he looked at her fully for the first time since their enterprise had been undertaken. As he looked he felt his heart sink. He had expected to see the marks of suffering on her face, but the expression he saw suggested something more than mere mental pain.

All the rich color that usually deepened and softened the charm of her beauty had been erased as if by a long illness, and against the new pallor of her skin her blue eyes, her black hair and eyebrows seemed startlingly dark. A chill colder than remorse, a chill that bordered upon actual fear, touched Loder in that moment. With the first impulsive gesture he had allowed himself, he touched her arm.

"Eve"—he began unsteadily. Then the world died off his lips.

Without a sound, almost without a movement, she returned his glance, and something in her eyes checked what he might have said. In that one expressive look he understood all she had desired, all she had renounced—the full extent of the ordeal she had consented to and the motive that had compelled her consent. He drew back with the heavy sense that repentance and pity were equally futile—equally out of place.

Still in silence, she stepped to the pavement and stood aside while Loder dismissed the cab. To both there was something symbolic, something prophetic, in the dismissal. Without intention and almost unconsciously they drew closer together as the horse turned, its hoofs clattering on the roadway, its harness jingling, and, still without realization, they looked after the vehicle as it moved away down the long, shadowed thoroughfare toward the lights and the crowds that they had left. At last involuntarily they turned toward each other.

"Come," Loder said abruptly. "It's only across the road."

Fleet street is generally very quiet once midnight is passed, and Eve had no need of guidance or protection as they crossed the pavement, shining like fire in the lamplight. They crossed it slowly, walking apart, for the dread of physical contact that had possessed them in the cab seemed to have fallen on them again.

Inquisitiveness has little place in the region of the city, and they gained the opposite footpath unnoticed by the casual passerby. Then, still holding apart, they reached and entered Clifford's inn. Inside the entrance they paused, and Eve shivered involuntarily. "How gray it is!" she said faintly. "And how cold! Like a graveyard."

Loder turned to her. For one moment control seemed shaken. His blood surged, his vision clouded. The sense that life and love were still within his reach filled him overwhelmingly. He turned toward Eve; he half extended his hands. Then, stirred by what impulse, moved by what instinct, it was impossible to say, he let them drop to his sides again.

"Come!" he said. "Come! This is the way. Keep close to me. Put your hand on my arm." He spoke quietly, but his eyes were resolutely averted from her face as they crossed the dim, silent court.

Entering the gloomy doorway that led to his own rooms, he felt her fingers tremble on his arm, then tighten in their pressure as the bare passage and cheerless stairs met her view, but he set his lips.

"Come!" he repeated in the same strained voice. "Come! It isn't far—three or four flights."

With a white face and a curious expression in her eyes Eve moved forward. She had released Loder's arm as they crossed the hall, and now, reaching the stairs, she put out her hand gropingly and caught the banister. She had a pained, numb sense of submission, of suffering that had sunk to apathy. Moving forward without resistance, she began to mount the stairs.

The ascent was made in silence. Loder went first, his shoulders braced, his head held erect. Eve, mechanically watchful of all his movements, followed a step or two behind. With weary monotony one flight of stairs succeeded another, each to her unaccustomed eyes seeming more colorless, more solitary, more desolate than the preceding one.

Then at last, with a sinking sense of apprehension, she realized that their goal was reached.

The knowledge broke sharply through her dulled senses, and, confronted by the closeness of her ordeal, she paused, her head lifted, her hand still nervously grasping the banister. Her lips parted as if in sudden demand for aid, but in the nervous expectation, the pained apprehension of the moment, no sound escaped them. Loder, resolutely crossing the landing, knew nothing of the silent appeal.

For a second she stood hesitating; then her own weakness, her own shrinking dismay, were submerged in the interest of his movements. Slowly mounting the remaining steps, she followed him as if fascinated toward the door that showed dingly conspicuous in the light of an unshaded gas jet.

Almost at the moment that she reached his side he extended his hand toward the door. The action was decisive and hurried, as though he feared

to trust himself.

For a space he fumbled with the lock. And Eve, standing close behind him, heard the handle creak and turn under his pressure. Then he shook the door.



"Chilcot is dead."

At last, slowly, almost reluctantly, he turned round. "I'm afraid things aren't quite—quite right," he said in a low voice. "The door is locked, and I can see no light."

She raised her eyes quickly. "But you have a key?" she whispered. "Haven't you got a key?" It was obvious that to both the unexpected check to their designs was fraught with danger.

"Yes, but—" He looked toward the door. "Yes, I have a key. Yes, you're right," he added quickly. "I'll use it. Walk while I go inside."

Filled with a new nervousness, oppressed by the loneliness, the silence about her, Eve draw back obediently.

The sense of mystery conveyed by the closed door weighed upon her. Her susceptibilities were tensely alert as she watched Loder search for his key and insert it in the lock. With mingled dread and curiosity she saw the door yield and gape open like a black gash in the dingy wall, and with a sudden sense of desertion she saw him pass through the aperture and hear him strike a match.

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The wait that followed seemed extraordinarily long. Listening intently, she heard him move softly from one room to the other. And at last, to her acutely nervous susceptibilities, it seemed that he paused in absolute silence. In the intensity of listening she heard her own faint, irregular breathing, and the sound filled her with panic. The quiet, the solitude, the vague, instinctive apprehension, became suddenly unbearable. Then all at once the tension was relieved. Loder reappeared.

He paused for a second in the shadowy doorway; then he turned unsteadily, drew the door to and locked it.

Eve stepped forward. Her glimpse of him had been momentary—and she had not heard his voice yet—the consciousness of his bearing filled her with instinctive alarm. Abruptly and without reason her hands turned cold, her heart began to beat violently. "John"—she said below her breath.

For answer he moved toward her. His face was bereft of color; there was a look of consternation in his eyes. "Come!" he said. "Come at once. I must take you home." He spoke in a broken, uneven voice.

Eve, looking up at him, caught his hand. "Why? Why?" she questioned. Her tone was low and scared.

Without replying he drew her impatiently toward the stairs. "Go very softly," he commanded. "No one must see below her breath."

In the first moment she obeyed him instinctively; then, reaching the head of the stairs, she stopped. With one hand still clasping his, the other clinging nervously to the banister, she reappeared.

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fused to descend. "John," she whispered, "I'm not a child. What is it? What has happened? I must know."

For a moment Loder looked at her uncertainly; then, reading the expression in her eyes, he yielded to her demand.

"He's dead," he said in a very low voice. "Chilcot is dead."

(To be Continued.)

CHILD SLAVERY IS THE NATION'S INFAMY.

A meeting is to be held in New York this week to form a Child Labor League. It is called by the Women's conference of the New York Society for Ethical Culture and will be held in the Hudson theater Thursday, March 21, at 3 o'clock.

The objects of the league are to secure the enforcement of existing laws and report violations thereof, and to prepare a list of responsible persons who will assist in procuring child labor legislation.

This movement should extend throughout the nation. The enslavement of children for purposes of gain is the shame of every American. Nobody attempts openly to defend it; but employers, who, parrot-like, repeat the threadbare platitude that "Business is business," and the more shameless one that "Our first object is to make money," continue in fact what they dare not uphold in theory.

Recently an American called attention to the biennial school census of New York just made public, wherein it is reported that 87,000 children in this city are kept at work, and that nearly 10,000 of these are employed illegally.

It is to the shame of the present administration that it does not enforce the law.

On Jan. 9 of the present year Justice Olmstead from the bench said that he knew personally of not fewer than fifty boys under sixteen who are employed in ten-hour shifts at night in the Pennsylvania and Belmont tunnels.

Here also is a matter that the prospective league might investigate.

As bad as the situation is in New York however, it is immeasurably worse in other sections. It has been estimated that if the victims of child labor in Pennsylvania were to stand shoulder to shoulder with no space between, the solid line would extend for over 22 miles.

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These were the conditions in 1900. The case is probably much worse now. The statistics of the labor unions indicate that at least two million children are regularly employed.

Senator Beveridge in his fight for a national child labor law, which was killed by a little coterie of lawyers in a house committee, stated that the number of child workers is at least two millions.

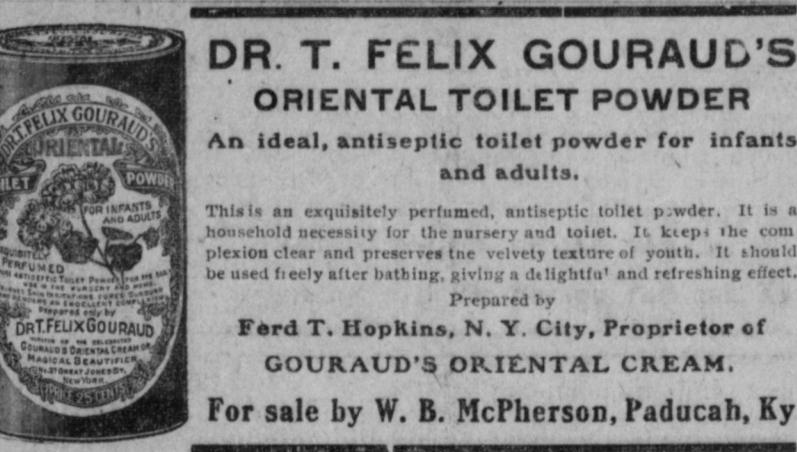
Many of these children toil long hours under unhealthful conditions and for a wage pitifully small. Their servitude not only robs them of education and play time, but cuts off hope of a developed manhood and womanhood. It dwarfs their bodies, numbs their brains and starves their souls. It is the crime of American civilization.—New York American.

Easter at Christ Church School.

In London there is an old and felicitous custom on Easter Monday, when the boys of the famous Christ hospital school repair to the Mansion House to receive from the lord mayor what are known as "Easter bobs." Each "Grecian" receives a sovereign, and the others, according to their relative standing, are given coins of lesser value. Refreshments of lemonade and buns are served, after which the mayor and the civic authorities conduct the boys to Christ church, Newgate, where they hear a sermon.

The town of Paoli, Ind., is named for Gen. Paoli, of Corsica, who defended that island against the French in favor of the British. He died in England and has a monument in Westminster Abbey.

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The Final Punch.
An omnibus full of young Parisian students was rolling down the street when a quiet-looking old gentleman in priest's attire got in. The students, angry at the interruption, began using bad language in the hope of driving him outside. But the priest took no more notice than if the bus had been perfectly empty. At last he rose to get out.

Then he turned and very politely said:

"Till we meet again, gentlemen."

"Goodby, old chap," shouted one;

"we don't want to see you again."

"Pardon me," replied the priest,

"we are sure to meet again. I am the chaplain of Mazas prison."—T. P.'s Weekly.

Professional Jealousy.
Secretary—"The president will issue another message to congress tomorrow."

John D. Rockefeller—"By George! He's one ahead of me now! Tell the boys to call tomorrow afternoon and I'll tell them how I enjoy eating Welsh rabbit poured over chop suey."

From the hawksbill turtle of the Caribbean Sea comes the tortoise shell of commerce.



Traveler: "You're sure my luggage will be all right here? It won't get stolen?"

Native: "Oh, dey won't get stole, massa. Dere ain't no udder white man about here 'captin' yourself."

GREATEST OF ALL MASTODONS

Teeth of Prehistoric Monster Found in Alaska Weigh 50 Pounds Each.

What is perhaps the largest mastodon ever uncovered completely in Alaska, was unearthed during the past six months at Circle City by Max L. Lohrunner.

The exact location of the mastodon is on Alice Creek, tributary of Mineral Creek, which flows into Woodchopper Creek. To judge of the other dimensions of the huge monster it must be only said that one tusk of the mammoth which is still intact, is more than nine feet eight inches long and has a circumference of eighteen inches. The jaws of the animal still have teeth, four in number. Each of these teeth which have been taken out and replaced, weigh fifty pounds apiece. The other parts of the animal are in a poor state of preservation compared with the tusk. Although the bones have not all been collected, they weigh in the neighborhood of 1,000 pounds.

Lohrunner, who got the bones, dug them out at a depth of eight feet below the surface of the ground. It took a great amount of care and pains on his part to see to it that the bones were not burned to charcoal, while he was excavating and thawing the ground.

Lohrunner has moved part of the animal into storage at Circle City and will hold it there till springtime, when it will be removed to Seattle, Washington.

where it will be put together and eventually find its way into the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, if the Smithsonian Institution does not get it before that time.

"Alice Creek, where I found this mastodon," said Lohrunner, "is one of the most wonderful on earth, from a standpoint of research. It seems to be the boneyard that a whole lot of prehistoric animals made in order to die, or to be killed. We have found on the creek the skeletons of mastodons, musk-ox caribou, bear and other animals. If this creek ever goes into a hydraulic mining proposition, the world will be astonished with the many finds of bones of animals in prehistoric times."—From the Vancouver Province.

He Got the Money.

Here is a French joke that is rather English in character: The Marquis de Favieres notorious for his impetuosity, called on a man of means named Barnard, and said:

"Monsieur, I am going to astonish you. I am the Marquis de Favieres. I do not know you, and I come to borrow five hundred louis."

"Monsieur," Barnard replied, "I am going to astonish you much more. I know you and I am going to lend them."

The Village Oracle—Say what you like, this here man Roosevelt measures his words, by gum! Storekeeper—Gives good measure, too, b'gosh!—Puck.

old age—she was in her eighty-eighth year—and said:

"I suppose that during all that time you were uneasy about me?"

"Yes, the whole time."

"Afraid I couldn't live?"

After a reflective pause—ostensibly to think out the facts:

"No—afraid you would."—Mark Twain's Autobiography in the North American Review.

Pennsylvania Primaries.

It will surprise a great many people to hear that the winter primaries, under the new law, cost about \$1,000,000, bills for, which have been presented to the state for payment.

Those primaries were not general. There were many counties where the nominations were made under the old system, the parties themselves paying for them. If the winter pri-

maries under such circumstances cost so much, the June primaries, which will be held in every district in the state, will involve the expenditure of from \$1,500,000 to \$2,000,000. It is not much wonder there is a desire to get rid of one of the elections.—Philadelphia Press.

Siberian butter goes to Hamburg, is repacked and sent to the Far East as a German production, Russian sugar goes to Japan in an Austrian disguise, and Russian calico is sold there under a German wrapper. Those are some of the reasons why the Russo-Japanese Commercial company has been formed in Russia.

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